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VIEWS OF HON. R. SARLLS CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

(Continued from Friday's daily.)
I arrived in South McAlester May 22nd, 1890, the date upon which the United States court was authorized to transact business there. The town was in its infancy, most of the residents living in tents. There was a great demand for rent houses. Although it was a violation of the Indian law for a United States citizen to rent his property, I saw that our town could not grow under these conditions, and I began building and renting; which attracted the attention and excited the animosity of the Indians. A movement

to remove me from the territory and confiscate my property was put on foot by them.
About this time the Jones-Jackson war broke out. The papers published the fact of there being several hundred Indians here on the warpath, the news spread over the whole country. Our citizens received letters from their friends in the states urging them to flee for their lives.
In the face of this opposition and these conditions, I began the erection of the three story brick building known as the Commercial hotel. This I completed

at an approximate cost of about \$20,000. Whereupon I was served with a notice by an Indian officer, requiring me to sell this property within thirty days to an Indian citizen, or the same would be confiscated and sold by them.

It suffices my purpose to say that I went into the United States court and enjoined this procedure on the part of the Indians. This action on my part settled the status of the white man and his property in the five tribes. Previous to this time it had been the custom of all United States citizens to employ friendly Indians to hold their property. Henceforth this subterfuge was destroyed and we were secure in our property rights.

The results of this decision were felt in every town in the territory, as was evidenced by their rapid growth and by increased values.

This new order of things agitated the Indians to the extent that they began for the first time to approach the Dawes' Commission and ask why it was that they were not allowed to sell this property as they had done in similar cases on former occasions. They were told that the courts were here to protect the United States citizen and they were advised to sell the towns and take their land in severalty. This seemed to form a nucleus for what is known as the Atoka Treaty, which was made some three years afterwards. The treaty had first to be approved by Congress and ratified at the polls by the Chickasaws and the Choctaws separately. It met with great opposition on the part of the coal barons who were all intermarried Indian citizens. It was also opposed by many United States citizens. Under these varying and difficult circumstances I took an active part in the advocacy of this treaty, I feel that I drove the entering wedge into the Indian condition which first brought them to realize that the white man was here to stay and caused them to eventually make the treaty.

Therefore I feel that I have rendered a valuable service to the people of this country which I think merits their consideration and support in this contest; and that owing to my knowledge of the situation and conditions that exist, I should be able to accomplish more in the future for the public good.

If I am elected to Congress it will be my tireless endeavor to have every restriction removed from the Indian lands, except on the sale of 40 acres to fullbloods, and to cause every citizen, Indian or otherwise, to pay his equal proportion under the law, of the taxes necessary to support the government. I advocate this from an economic standpoint. To save the counties the expense of supporting the pauper.

I might be induced to exempt a poor tenant from taxation, but never a landlord. My opponents in advocating a partial removal of restrictions, advocate that the homestead of the Indian be not taxed.

I am averse to a people enjoying all the rights of United States citizenship, being exempt from paying their part of the maintenance of the government that protects them. This is in violation of our fundamental law and a reflection cast by the government upon the competency of the Indian which he does not deserve. If they were a poor and a dependent people this action might be excusable. On the contrary they

are among the richest people in the world. In money and surplus lands these Indians have 25 million dollars above their allotments. Thousands of these so-called Indians are intermarried white citizens. Why should they and their descendants be exempt from taxation?

One hundred and thirty years ago our forefathers went to war over "Taxation without representation."

Now it has come to pass that one of the richest people in the world enjoy representation without taxation. Fully one-half of the landed estate of the new state of Oklahoma is exempt from taxation under this law, which is unjust, oppressive and intolerable. Unless some plan can be devised by which we can escape the burdens such conditions impose upon us, statehood will be a manifest detriment to our people.

I believe in uniformity of taxation and uniformity of laws. The Indian being exempted, under the law from taxation on his land, the white man should also be exempted.

To this end, if the Indians are not to pay taxes on their land, I advocate that our state issue bonds payable in twenty-one years to meet all the expenses of state government from year to year until our representative in Congress can induce that body to level these inequalities.

The taxes on personal property, together with real estate in cities and towns, will be sufficient, doubtless, to run our county government, and to pay the interest and supply a sinking fund; this will transfer from our shoulders the load Congress has attempted to place upon us to a time when taxation will be uniform in its application to the Indian and white man alike. Under this plan the Indian can sell his surplus for more money, as it will not be burdened with taxation at this time. This will encourage the white settler, develop our country quicker, and give our towns and cities a chance to grow. Otherwise, under an increased state taxation, they must go backward instead of forward, especially the eastern half of the state.

Under any other plan the state and county government must necessarily be maintained by issuing scrip; which plan is too dear to the tax payer and should be avoided if possible. The segregated lands must be sold. These are vital questions which will receive my first and undivided attention if I am your representative.

R. SARLLS
South McAlester, I. T.

OIL AT WEWOKA.

500 Barrel Well Brought in—Much Excitement.

Wewoka, I. T., April 12.—The bringing in of a 500-barrel oil well in Wewoka last night opens up a new oil field in Indian Territory at a depth of 1,605 feet. The drill dropped into the oil sand, and within a few hours the oil arose until there was over 1,400 feet in the well. Oil experts who are now on the ground predict that when the well is fully developed it will prove one of the great wonders of the new southwest.

Great excitement prevails and oil men are coming from every direction and a refinery company has been organized.

PONTOTOC COUNTY CARVED INTO 7 JUSTICE TOWNSHIPS

The board composed of T. J. Chambliss, Tip Denton and J. J. Burton, entrusted—as detailed in Friday's News—with the work of dividing the county into commissioner's districts and justice of the peace, or municipal, townships, completed its task Saturday morning.

The subdivisions, as defined by the board will be briefly here described.

For county commissioners' districts the county is divided into three parts almost equal in area. District No. 1, the northwest portion of the county, contains Maxwell, Center, Bebee, Tyrola, Midland, Vanoss, Hart, Knox, and wards three and four of Ada. No. 2 contains Allen, Francis, Oakman, Ahlso, Lula, Conway, and wards one and two of Ada—the northeast portion of the county. District No. 3, taking the southern section of the county, contains Roff, Dalburg, Fitzhugh, Stonewall, Frisco, Franks, York, and Jesse.

It is said Ada was bisected and placed in two districts for fear the town might otherwise overbalance in political influence the country area to which it might

be attached.

As for the justice or municipal townships, they may be described as follows: No. 1 contains Maxwell and Bebee; 2, Tyrola, Francis, and Oakman; 3, Allen and Conway; 4, Lula, Stonewall, Jesse, and Franks; 5, York, Fitzhugh, Roff, and Dolberg; 6, Center, Midland, Vanoss and Hart; 7, Ada, Ahlso, and Knox.

Naturally there is a measure of dissatisfaction over the carving. It would have been impossible to please every citizen interested. However, all know the three gentlemen did the work conscientiously, with the lights before them, to the best interests of the people at large. If changes prove desirable they can easily be made after organization of the county government.

The county map as drawn by the board and above described will be taken by Delegate Carlton Weaver to Guthrie and by him submitted to the constitutional convention. In all probability the divisions as recommended will be promptly adopted by the convention next week.

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PLACING VOTING BOXES AND NAMING ELECTION OFFICERS

The Democratic county executive committee met at Ada in the mayor's office Saturday afternoon with most of the membership present and Chairman G. L. Parker and Secretary Sam McClure in their respective positions.

A letter from Chairman J. B. Thompson, of the state committee, which was read, indicated the object of the meeting, namely, to locate the voting places for the primary election of May 23 and the officers to conduct same.

In pursuance of a motion carried, the chair appointed J. P. Crawford, T. D. McKeown and J. J. Copeland a committee to locate voting places and select officers and report back to the

county committee. At the hour of going to press the committeemen are still busily engaged in this work, which presents some perplexities.

A Bridge Celebration.

People of Stonewall and vicinity are preparing for a mammoth picnic May 8th at the big steel bridge recently completed across Boggy, two miles south of Stonewall. It will be in the nature of a celebration of the structure's completion. Arrangements are in progress to entertain everybody and the candidates.

If you have something to sell. Advertise it in the Daily News.

THAW JURY DISCHARGED; HOPELESSLY HUNG 7 TO 5

New York, April 12.—Hopelessly divided—seven for a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree and five for acquittal on the ground of insanity—the jury which since Jan. 23 has been trying Harry K. Thaw reported today after forty-seven hours and eight minutes of deliberation that it could not possibly agree.

The twelve men were promptly discharged by Justice Fitzgerald, who declared that he, too, believed their task hopeless.

Thaw was remanded to the Tombs without bail to await a second trial on a charge of having murdered Stanford White, the noted architect.

When this new trial will take place no one connected with the case could tonight express an opinion. District

Attorney Jerome declared that there were many other persons accused of homicide awaiting trial and that Thaw would have to take his turn. As to a possible change of venue the district attorney and counsel for Thaw both declared they would make no such move.

Thaw's attorneys will have a conference tomorrow with the prisoner to decide upon their next step. They may ask an early application for bail. Mr. Jerome said that he will strenuously oppose it. He added that as seven of the jurors had voted for "guilty" his opposition probably would be successful. In that event Thaw has another long summer before him in the city prison, for his case on the already crowded criminal calendar can not possibly be reached until fall.

Something Needed Portland Park Addition

Lots near the big Cement Plant to accommodate the hundreds of laborers to be employed in this great industry. This need has been met by laying out the Portland Park Addition just west of the cement plant. Lots are 30 feet by 140, with 60-foot streets and 20-foot alleys. Prices of lots are from \$20 to \$30. Terms, \$5 down and \$2 per month. A large reservoir is to be built on the north side by the cement company which will afford boating and fishing.

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FURNITURE AND COFFINS

Electricity as a Deadener.

It would be a foolish man who should run on ahead of present development in electricity and plant a stake to mark the limit of its growth. Before he had swung his maul a score of times, progress would have passed him and he would be erecting a signpost instead of a barrier. Electricity spurts in this seven-league-boots way because so many minds are interested in it. The men of brains, whatever their calling, recognize its potentialities and work toward them. It is used in commerce and manufactures quite as much as in science. Domestic life claims it as a powerful and willing slave, it aids the arts in many ways, and medicine has found good in it. Dr. Stephen Leduc, a leading physician of Paris, has whittled down the destructive properties of electrocution to beneficent powers. He has made the death-chair over into an operating table for the surgeon. He destroys sensibility all over the body by sending a mild alternating current of electricity through the brain. In this way the patient loses consciousness but it is not the old stupor of anesthetics. There is no nausea, languor or weakness and absolutely no effect on the heart. The patient becomes conscious the moment the current is shut off and with a decidedly invigorated sensation. This will be as great a boon to the doctors as to the patient, says the Cleveland Leader. It will, or at least should, do away with the old apologetic remark that the "operation was a success but the patient didn't rally," as if the mere technical part of carving a man up with butcher-like skill was the end of the surgeon's duty.

Women and Smoke.

A young Chicago woman aspires to be a smoke inspector. She says the smoke nuisance is serious, and she does not see why women should not be useful in checking it. The pay does not attract her, but the opportunity to do good. If she can pass a civil service examination, and there is no reason to doubt her ability, there will be no legal obstacle in the way of her appointment. The average woman as smoke inspector would put into her work a degree of devotion and zeal which a man is incapable of, says the Chicago Tribune. Where men dislike smoke, women hate it. It dirties their clothes. It smuts their faces. It nullifies the labor of the washerwoman. It is abhorrent to them in a hundred different ways. An inspector of any kind who is not full of enthusiasm for his work, and who goes on with it merely to draw his monthly pay, never accomplishes much. It is because women have enthusiasm that they make the best kind of inspectors in certain fields of labor. They are able to see shortcomings which the average man is blind.

A dozen of more women's colleges, including Barnard, Wellesley, Vassar and Bryn Mawr, have formed an intercollegiate association of students whose purpose it is to establish student government instead of faculty control in all the institutions represented. Barnard is already practicing this system and students have almost everything under their own charge except instruction. The plan is said to be a great success, the girls being more observant of rules and regulations made by the faculty. And yet conservative folk will continue to feel some preference for the old plan of putting experienced and mature persons in authority over these young women.

Whales are considerably in evidence of late. A number have been caught off the Long Island coast, and now comes announcement of the finding of one, of the sperm variety, on the sandy shore of Florida. In the latter case the cetacean has produced many barrels of oil, and the ambergris contained in the carcass will bring a small fortune to the finders. A few more experiences like this may lead to a marked revival in the whale hunting industry.

A Connecticut bank failed a few days ago, and the bank examiner has just made the discovery that it did business in an irregular manner. Perhaps the examiner fancies that his report will be comforting to the people who would have taken their money out if they could have been apprised of the bank's unsoundness before the collapse came.

Admiral Nebotgatoff should be thankful that he has been sentenced to serve ten years in a fortress for his failure to properly give battle to the Japanese. He might have been sentenced to serve as chief of police in Moscow or Warsaw.

President Roosevelt, by a proclamation just issued, has added 17,000,000 acres of forest lands to the reserves of the United States. Thirty-two forest reservations are created or increased in area by this proclamation.

CURIOUS COIN TRICKS.

Balancing a Fifty-Cent Piece Upon Rim of Glass.

It would appear to be very difficult to balance a 50-cent piece by its edge on the rim of a wine glass, but no great difficulty will be experienced if the following instructions are faithfully observed.

Take two ordinary small dinner-forks, and between the central prongs of each push in the half dollar, at the same time adjusting the forks so that the prongs lie one over the other.



Balancing Coin on Edge of Glass.

Now gently place the edge of the coin on the rim of the glass; the exact position will require a little searching for, but it is by no means difficult to find. When correctly placed, the coin will be in such a condition of stable equilibrium as to permit of being rocked up and down with absolute freedom. The drawing (Fig. 1) shows clearly the position in which the forks and coin are to be placed.

Another neat little feat of dexterity, and one by no means so difficult as it appears, says Montreal Herald, consists in placing a rouleau of coins on the elbow, and by a quick movement catching them in the hand.

The forearm and hand are to be placed in a horizontal position with the coins on the upper aspect of the elbow, as depicted in Fig. 2. It will be noticed on looking carefully at this that the palm of the hand is uppermost. The hand is now swiftly brought down, describing in its course a circle, and, without any conscious effort to "make for" the coins direct, they will be found to strike against the palm in its descent, and, of course, are tightly gripped. The simplicity of the trick turns on the fact that when the hand is brought down in the manner indicated, it describes an arc which cuts through the point at



Catching Coin from Elbow.

which the elbow was situated; this is the prime reason why no conscious attempt at making for the coins need be made.

Papa Must Wait.

Little Dorothy was an only child and, like many another, her one wish was for a baby brother or sister. One day when she had asked her papa to get her one he had laughingly replied that it was too expensive and he could not afford it.

Not long after this Dorothy and her papa were taken by a friend for an automobile ride. The friend talked enthusiastically upon the pleasures of motoring, urging Dorothy's father to buy an auto. Dorothy listened in silence for awhile, then broke out excitedly with:

"No, Mr. L., papa can't go to any more expense till he buys me a new baby brother."

Crow Serves as Alarm Clock.

Winsted, Conn.—A crow has acted as an alarm clock for John Babcock of Deep River for two years. Every morning at daylight it caws loudly and keeps the noise up until John appears.

Then, after feeding, it flies away and evidently spends its days in the woods. The bird seems to bear a charmed life, as when it first began to make its visits Charles A. Kirkland, who then lived next door, took several shots at it, but fortunately missed it.

Now the crow is so well known that the person who attempted to shoot it would get himself in a lot of trouble.

It Looked Small to Him.

There was a small Scotch boy who had the quality of astuteness highly developed. The boy's grandmother, says the Liverpool Post, was packing his luncheon for him to take to school. Suddenly, looking up into the old lady's face, he said:

"Grandmother, do yer specs magnify?"

"A little, my child," she answered. "Awel, then," said the boy, "I would just like it if ye would take them off when ye're packing my loonch."

A Farmer's Strange Story.

A farmer of Caroline county, Va., Mr. O. D. Pitts, tells a very strange story. While plowing with a pair of horses on his farm, he turned up a nest containing what he supposed to be turtle-eggs. He put them in his pocket to carry them home. Some time later, when he took up his coat, he felt something moving, and upon investigation found that the eggs had hatched and his pocket was full of young snakes.

GREAT RELIGIOUS REVIVAL ON ALL OVER THE WORLD

Beyond Precedent

HARVEST OF CONVERTS LARGER THAN EVER KNOWN.

Historic Movement of 1857 Far Eclipsed in Intensity and Fervor—Starting with the Work of Torrey and Alexander in Australia Four Years Ago It Has Spread to All Civilized Countries—What the Evangelists Say of It.

Chicago.—The greatest religious revival of modern times is in progress. Throughout the United States the manifestations of enthusiasm have been no more marked than in foreign countries. The movement seems to be world-wide. China and India are sending to this country most remarkable reports of the religious awakening in those countries. Everywhere the revival spirit is marked beyond all precedent.

In the central part of the United States, with Chicago as the focal point, the series of "old-time" religious meetings and the harvest of converts have been the most notable in the history of the country since 1857.

In that year occurred a religious movement that has become historic by virtue of its intensity and scope. Considered in proportion to population then and now, the movement of 1857 probably was as important as the one



Dr. R. A. Torrey.

now in progress. Taken without reference to population, the movement of 50 years ago was but as a drop in a bucket compared with the scope of the revival movement that is abroad to-day.

The history of religious movements of this kind shows that they almost invariably have followed on the heels of or have occurred during periods of deep industrial distress. In the United States this has been particularly true.

Distress Affected Souls.

The religious outbreak of 1857 apparently had its origin in the distress of the people, and thousands of those who had suffered financial losses in material things flocked to the churches to pray for relief from their troubles. Monetary disaster rendered the people susceptible to religious influences, just as misfortune in individual cases is a potent factor in the introspection that often leads to the acceptance of religion. The great revival of the late '70s appears to have had its origin in a similar national condition. The historic religious movement led by the late Dwight L. Moody in Chicago and running synchronous to the world's fair took place when the country was entering the throes of one of the most disastrous industrial panics in its history. The same is true of other nations.

In this respect the present religious movement differs from nearly all others. There have been ten years of unprecedented prosperity. In material things the country and the people as individuals have been and are more prosperous than ever before. Yet, contrary to history, in the midst of this marvellous prosperity there arises and is maintained for at least four years a constantly growing tide of religious enthusiasm. The men guiding the movement say that they see no evidence of the approach of the end of the revival spirit. The number of converts is increasing daily, more men are going into the evangelistic work, and everywhere preparations are being made for wider activities in the revival movement.

Revival Began in Australia.

The current religious enthusiasm, in its world-wide sense, dates from the work of Torrey and Alexander in Australia four years ago. On this Australian tour these evangelists made 10,000 converts in a month and thousands upon thousands followed the first great crowd of converts in their acceptance of religion. The fire thus kindled spread throughout New Zealand and Australasia. It has continued to burn steadily in that part of the world, flaming all the time and breaking out fiercely at intervals. The men who started it went to London and the results of their work there are well remembered. England, Scotland and Ireland caught the contagion. The famous Torrey and Alexander meeting at Cardiff, Wales, started the

Welsh revival, which was one of the most amazing religious manifestations of either ancient or modern times. Since that time the movement has gone on as a rising tide.

New England in a Fever.

The present revival spirit in this country appeared in its most distinct form soon after the wonderful successes of Torrey and Alexander in England. New England, cold temperamentally and rock-bound religiously, cast off its traditional reserve and laid itself open to the influences of the "old-time" religion. In Boston the evangelistic work under Rev. A. C. Dixon and others resulted in an unprecedented number of conversions. All over Canada the same was true. A four weeks' campaign in Toronto by Torrey and Alexander resulted in 4,300 conversions.

Philadelphia next was attacked by the evangelists, and the enthusiasm whipped to a high pitch, a small army of men, women and children professing conversion. Every section of the country, outside possibly of the Pacific coast, has fallen under the wave of religious enthusiasm.

Felt Throughout the West.

The revival in the middle west cannot properly be said to have spread from Chicago, because the religious fervor in this part of the United States has been as much in evidence in the cities surrounding Chicago for as long as it has been in the city. The proportion of converts to population in the smaller cities and towns also has been much greater than in Chicago for obvious reasons.

The exact number of converts in Chicago within the last six months is not obtainable, for the reason there have been so many individual revival movements in Chicago without any central controlling organization whose business it is to keep track of the converts, each church doing this work for itself. The principal evangelists working in this city estimate the number to date at from 4,000 to 5,000. Besides these, many "backsliders" have been reclaimed and much interest has been aroused among persons who have not affiliated themselves with any church.

Enthusiasm in England.

In England in the Established church the religious enthusiasm within the last year has been unprecedented, and evangelical work of wide scope is being carried on in much the same manner as the revival work is being done in the United States.

From the headquarters of the Salvation Army there come reports of extraordinary interest in the work of that remarkable organization and of an unusually large number of "saved." The work of the army, however, following the great humanitarian dictum of Gen. Booth that "we should be willing to do as much for a man as for a horse," partakes in its daily manifestation much of the character of a revival and the difference therefore is not so noticeable. As an army officer said: "We are whooping 'er up all the time, anyway. With us it's always revival time."

Standing out as the chief feature of the present movement is the blotting out of sectarian lines in the evangelistic work. The men who have met with the greatest success are those who have paid no attention to either sectarianism or denominationalism.



Wm. A. Sunday.

Some of the most effective evangelists in the field decline even to tell their audiences what church they are formally affiliated with. In most cases this is known, but doctrinal prejudices and preferences are being kept in the background as never before.

This elimination of sectarianism in the evangelistic movement may be either cause or effect—even the evangelists differ on this point. Some say that the movement is unprecedentedly strong because those lines are being ignored, while others protest that they are being ignored because the general revival spirit is so strong.

What the Evangelists Say.

If you ask one of the evangelists who are making big successes in the revival field for the cause of the present movement he will tell you that it is answer to prayer. This is what Rev. A. C. Dixon said:

"We who believe in the efficacy of prayer believe that God is answering the petitions that have been going up for ten years all over the earth for a world-wide revival of religion. Although the non-church population does not know it, the fact is that Christians for a decade have prayed persistently, earnestly and confidently for just such a movement as is now in progress. We are still praying and the movement is increasing. How much stronger it will get only God knows. But I realize this answer will not

satisfy those who do not believe in prayer. The unchurched, while forced by what they see to admit the strength and scope of the present revival movement, demand other reasons for its existence. And there probably are other reasons. History shows us that faith comes in waves. For some years we have had the higher criticism, and educational force destructive of faith in the Bible. Dr. Briggs in the east, Dr. Harper of the University of Chicago in the west, the leaders of the Welhausen-Graff school in Germany and many others who have been in the front of the higher criticism movement have done much to destroy faith. But there is a swinging back from this fad. Darwinism is on the wane. These things seem to come in cycles, but each wave of faith in the Bible that appears is much stronger than its predecessor, and in the end faith must triumph."

Rev. Mr. Sunday's Views.

"Billy" Sunday has some very material reasons for the strength of the present movement. Here they are:

"The plan of gathering together great audiences under one roof is one source of success. There is enthusi-



"Gypsy" Smith.

asm in numbers. Formerly they tried to convert a town by holding revival meetings in a church that would not seat one-fiftieth of the population. Most of the successful revivalists insist nowadays on the erection of a tabernacle big enough to hold thousands, if there is no such building already in the town. And people now are so prosperous that they freely give money for this purpose where they formerly would not.

"But back of it all is prayer. I scoffers deny this, but if a large number of scoffers were to ask a human power to give them a certain thing in a certain way at a certain time and they received this thing they would be pretty likely to think it came from the power they petitioned for it, even if they could not actually see it given."

SHEEP DOGS KNOW A LOT.

Have Repeatedly Given Proof of Remarkable Intelligence.

What a herd dog has first to learn is to know every one of 200 or 300 sheep, and to know them both by sight and smell. This he does thoroughly. When Watterson was running sheep on the plains he had a young collie not yet put to the herd, but kept about the pumping plant, says a writer in Harper's Magazine. As the sheep came in by hundreds to the troughs, the dog grew so as to know them that when they had picked up a stray from another band he discovered it from afar off, and, darting as a hornet, nipping and yelping, parted it out from the band. At the time no mere man would have pretended, without the aid of the brand, to recognize any of the thousands that bore it.

How long recollection stays by the dog is not certain, but at least a twelvemonth, as was proved to Filon Girard after he had lost a third of his band when the Santa Anna came roaring up Lone Pine with a cloud of saffron-colored dust on its wings. After shearing of next year, passing close to another band, Filon's dogs set themselves unbidden to routing out of it, and rounding with their own, nearly 20 head, which the herder, being an honest man, freely admitted he had picked up on the mesa following after Filon the spring before.

Quick to know the willful and unobedient members of a flock, the wise collie is not sparing of bites, and, following after a stubborn stray, will often throw it and stand guard until help arrives or the sheep shows a better mind. But the herder who has a dog trained at the difficult work of herding sheep through the chutes and runways into boats and cars for transportation is the fortunate fellow.

There was Pete's dog, Bourdaloue, that, at the Stockton landing, with no assistance, put 800 wild sheep from the highlands on the boat in eight minutes, by running along the backs of the flock until he had picked out the stubborn or stupid leaders that caused the sheep to jam in the runway, and, by sharp bites, set them forward, himself treading the backs of the racing flock, like the premiere equestrienne of the circus, which all the men of the shipping cheered to see.

Uplift Movement in Alabama.

In Alabama Miss Latona Burns has been appointed by the board of education to organize a concerted movement for the improvement of the public schools of the state. She will be sent into every city and town in Alabama to form school improvement associations and to try and awaken an active interest in public education in the public officials and in mothers and fathers as well.

HAVE LOST CUNNING

COUNTERFEITERS TURNING OUT NO GOOD WORK.

For Many Years There Have been No Spurious Banknotes to Worry the Money World.—The "Monroe Hundred."

There is one lost art among criminals, one trade which United States secret service men have seemingly wiped out to the very last man. This is the art of counterfeiting currency, says the Kansas City Star. Kansas City bank officials say that for eight years not one spurious banknote worthy of passing comment has been handled in the money world. They declare that the day of successful counterfeiting has come to an end.

"Not a banknote which fools the experts is on the market," said E. F. Swinney, president of the First national bank. "There is counterfeit currency, plenty of it," he said, "but it's a kind detected almost at a glance. Inspection of it quickly reveals the flaws. Usually the work is clumsy. But not since the notorious gang in Philadelphia which made the famous 'Monroe hundred' was wiped out has there been a really clever counterfeiter at work. At least, we have no record of any."

The "Monroe hundred" was a \$100 silver certificate with the face of President Monroe stamped upon it. It was a series of 1901, check letter D, Tillman register, Morgan treasurer. It was an absolutely perfect counterfeit. Experts in the treasury department were fooled by it. The notes became so numerous and were accepted so extensively that the government called in its entire issue of the bill, amounting to several million dollars. Even now a "Monroe hundred" is occasionally picked up and is almost impossible to tell whether it is genuine or not.

The only difference between the genuine bill and the counterfeit was in the shape of the figures 3 and 4 and the length of the bill. In the figure 3 the lower loop did not extend up so far toward the center of the figure as it should have extended. In the figure 4 the space between the base and the center cross line was narrower than it should have been. The false bill was one-sixteenth of an inch shorter than the genuine.

"Such irregularities would easily pass the eye of an expert," Mr. Swinney said. "Of course, if a genuine bill was laid before you, and you had the opportunity to compare the two, after some study the defects could be noted. But think of the number of money handlers who had the counterfeit bill who had no opportunity for such comparison."

The gang which made the "Monroe hundred" was arrested in Philadelphia in 1899. The plates which printed the bills were recovered and the counterfeiters sentenced to long terms in prison.

"With the end of that gang," Mr. Swinney said, "there seems to have been an end of successful counterfeiting. Not since 1899 has the government been forced to recall any currency issue. Crooks have learned that to make spurious currency which will pass inspection is a hard task. And they have learned that the penalty Uncle Sam makes them pay when detected is heavy."

Donation Carnegie Refused.

Appropos of Mr. Carnegie's latest gift, an editor, taking out his notebook, said the other day: "I can tell you of a gift of \$1.50 that Mr. Carnegie once refused to give. Let me read you the letter asking for this gift."

With a laugh he read: "Dear Mr. Carnegie—Understanding that you are blessed at present with an unusual surplus of income, and knowing well your generous spirit and desire to do good to those who will help themselves, I want to ask you to make me a contribution of \$1.50."

"When I was a young man my mother gave me a hymnbook, which I faithfully used. It is now, thanks to my efforts, worn out, and I think it should be replaced, and you are the man to do this."

"Appreciating to the full the generous deeds that have made your name illustrious in this and other countries, and believing that in making me this donation you will be carrying on the spirit of your work, I am, yours faithfully," Mark Twain.

"P. S.—Don't send the hymnbook; send the \$1.50." "M. T."

Never Exaggerates It.

"Of course, she doesn't like discussions about ages."

"No; usually when she's questioned about hers she just says nothing but lies low."

"Yes, or if she says anything she lies low."—Philadelphia Press.

Bright Query.

"There goes Marryat's widow," remarked Newitt.

"Yes," replied Dumley, "but he was married twice, you know."

"Of course. What of that?"

"Well, is she his first or second widow?"

Value of the Classic Drama.

Dramatist—Do you believe in bringing out the classics?

Theater Manager—Certainly, at intervals. There is nothing like a classic to make an audience appreciate a second-class production that follows.

SECRETS OF HIDDEN DEN OF LUXURY AND VICE

**Carefully Hidden Studio in New York
Where Stanford White Entertained
Men of His Stripe in Ways That
Rivalled Days of Fabled Eastern
Luxury.**

**Was House Within a House Where
the Light of Day Never Was Al-
lowed to Penetrate---Only by Se-
cret Passages Could Entrance Be
Gained.**

New York. — Ever since Evelyn Nesbit Thaw told her story on the witness stand so that all men might judge whether its telling were not enough to turn a husband mad—even before that, ever since the pistol shot that killed Stanford White last June let loose on the ears of men countless stories of revel and debauch until only legends of shameful ghosts seemed left to guard the memory of the dead architect, curiosity has been drawn irresistibly to White's Twenty-fourth street studio. It is the place which, it half the stories told were true, White had dedicated to that part of his life which ultimately led him to his death—the place where he played Hyde with a few depraved companions while to all the rest of the world he was a distinguished and an envied Jekyll; a place which was a heaven of beauty, and also, according to report, a hell of sin.

No other spot in New York has so stirred the imaginations of thousands. No other spot has been at once such a commonplace of gossip and yet so utterly unknown, such a closed mystery to all. And today, stripped of much of its mystery and of all the glamour and lure of its wonderful treasures of art, with only the dull outer walls left to give mute testimony to the reality of the wild scenes they once sheltered, it remains without a parallel in the history of this or any other modern city.

Truly Well Concealed.

It is not just a suite of rooms or one or more floors of a house cleverly protected from the observation or intrusion of other tenants. Still less is it an ordinary house, the windows of which, however thickly curtained and screened, must still look down on passers-by in the street below and be exposed in turn to the curious gaze of any and all who cared to raise their heads.

"You may have trouble to find this place," wrote Harry Thaw when he first appealed to Anthony Comstock and the Society for the Suppression of Vice to put a stop to the infamous

other men he would find no hint to lead him to that of Stanford White. That gilded temple of the senses stands apart, a house almost within a house, inclosed within two rows of other houses with blank walls on all sides to shut it off from all view and observation. It was a place used only in the night time and, with no need for the light of day, ordinary windows and their outlook had no place in the designer's plan. Only a secret passage, cunningly walled off in the main house fronting on Twenty-fourth street, could it be reached, and only through a secret door which slid open at the touch of a hidden spring could friend or visitor enter that passage.

Belongs to Other Days.

The studio is situated in the small open court that lies between the rear of the houses on Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets. As it stands today, dismantled and untenanted, it would make an ideal haunt for kidnapers or counterfeiters, or any of the other desperate plotters who figure so largely in romantic novels, and for this reason, even in its present, its most commonplace aspect, it seems to belong to medieval days, an age younger by centuries than busy, practical, modern New York. But as it was when Stanford White was the presiding genius there, lavishing all the brilliancy of his perverted fancy on nightly entertainments so bizarre that no roue was so jaded that he did not eagerly seek an invitation to attend, it belonged to the days of fabled eastern luxury and splendor, the days of the Arabian Nights, with all their wizardry of imprisoned genii, enchanted palaces and young girls beautiful as the dawn.

And the site for this lordly pleasure house, this secret haunt where the master might hold his visitor prisoner for hours or days, this dream house of art and abandon, of refinement and revelry, was chosen, as if in deliberate joy in the contrast, in the heart of the most respectable and commonplace surroundings.

"I sat up in the bed and started to

mult of Twenty-third street, with its indolent or hurrying shoppers and their restless humors of the cheapjack toys along the sidewalk, easily reaches the ear. On the Twenty-fourth street side the eye sees only an everyday row of monotonous looking houses, no uglier or shabbier than a hundred rows exactly like them from which the bright tide of fashion has drifted away forever. If an artist wished to portray a thoroughly commonplace street, without a hint of romance or a touch to fire the imagination, he could find no better scene. And it was just this setting of almost ostentatious respectability, of the staidest and least inviting propriety, that Stanford White chose to use as a curtain behind which he could set his private stage as he willed, could intoxicate himself with a riotous luxury of sensual beauty and extravagant display and teach their sorry parts to the puppets he introduced there without fear of interruption or discovery. There vice, decked in her bravest purple and crimson, mocked at the prim gray form of virtue's gown that sheltered her and let her live. It was as if a dancing hall from Paris should be found hidden among the elms in the churchyard of some little New England village.

Entrance to the Gilded Den.

Here is Evelyn Thaw's description of her first visit to the place:

"We stopped at a dingy lodging house and, as we passed inside, the

worked with the architect for a solid week on the fairy-tale scheme. "It cannot be done," was his own appalled objection when the plan first was unfolded. "We will do it," said Stanford White; and no conception proved too novel, no price too high, for his fancy and genius to overcome. It was in this room that the great white bear-skin was spread on which Evelyn Nesbit posed for some of her best known pictures, and here were gorgeous rose Du Barry portieres, curiously carved pieces of teakwood and Japanese furniture, rare lace curtains, screens inlaid with ivory, and huge old cedar chests carved deep with elephant's heads, with ivory tusks set in. Priceless rugs were on the floor, from Khorassan and Serrebeed, from Bokhara and Tabriz, and on the walls were paintings by Rubens and Gerome and Millais and Bourguignon.

White's Most Private Studio.

On the floor above was a smaller studio, fitted up with the same royal magnificence. This was the room with the red velvet swing and the big Japanese umbrella in the ceiling through which the feet of the swinger crashed when strong arms pushed her high. Here White had his ordinary living rooms, bedrooms and dressing-rooms. On the floor above, reached by a tiny back stairway, of which few indeed knew the secret, was a studio—almost a boudoir—smaller and daintier still. Back of this, separated by curtains of heavy gold-crested tapestries, was the



door opened. No one touched it, but it opened of itself. We went through that door and along a passage and up some steps, and then another door opened in the same way. We went up some more steps and when we were half way up I stopped and asked where we were going, and a voice called down, but I could not see who it was. Then another voice called, a man's and we went on up the stairs till we came into a room magnificently furnished with velvets and satins, with all kinds of beautiful things standing around and paintings on the walls and interesting cabinets and bronze and marble statuettes and shaded lights."

There are three floors to the studio, not including a kind of basement, which was given over entirely to the kitchens, pantries and servants' quarters, and a peculiar feature of the whole building is the fact that instead of one main staircase running straight up through the house, the different floors are reached by an arrangement of separate staircases, each of which gives access only to one particular floor or set of rooms. Thus White's friends passed up a staircase which gave them no hint that there were any rooms on the basement floor at all, and, by closing a door here and opening another there—all the doors being operated by a system of secret springs, which could be worked from key-boards on each floor known practically to White alone—the visitor could be led straight to any part of the house White wished without being taken through any other part. But for general purposes it was the first floor—the one above the basement—that was used as the main reception room and for the big supper parties, like that in which "the Pie Girl" figured.

Here Luxury Unrestrained.

Here the artist was in his own kingdom; here was luxury unrestrained. There were glowing antiques in bronze and marble; tapestries in wonderful, subdued tones, softened by centuries; one White had pilaged himself from an Italian shrine by paying an enormous bribe to the gray-haired priest who burned candles before it. Jeweled chandeliers hung from the painted ceiling—a wild riot of color blended with consummate art—and electrical devices that startled and enchanted and charmed the eye. The electrician who furnished the house tells how he

exquisitely furnished little bedroom where, they tell, champagne was poured for those whom the king of this palace of art most delighted to honor—with ruin.

Few Knew of the Place.

Very few persons ever dreamed of the existence of this Twenty-fourth street "studio." Some of these were workmen, who constructed it under the architect's own direction; others, those in his service, who from time to time would carry there his choicest art treasures. One at least, a well-known fire insurance man, must have known it—for the house and its contents were insured for thousands of dollars.

Others who entered there were clubmen, like himself, Apostles of the Unusual, ever seeking a new sensation; young women of pleasure flattered by the notice of one in the front ranks of wealth and fashion; little "country mice," like 16-year-old Evelyn Nesbit, whose fresh beauty gratified him in the splendid setting provided and whose senses were immediately dazed by the unwonted, oriental luxury. Most of the visits there were made at night. Many of the guests would have been unable afterward to find their way there. Enough, it was Stanford White's domain, held beneath the spell of his genius. How he first conceived it, bought it, built it, threw his thick mantle of secrecy over it, nobody knew.

Just why the house came to be dismantled, and when, remains a mystery. Dinners were given there up to within a very few weeks before the night of June 25. Perhaps some rumor reached the owner—who knows? Secrecy is ever on its guard; to be "investigated" most trying to the artistic nature. Whatever the motives, dismantled it now is. The great mirrors rudely torn from their fixtures, the priceless Bokhara rugs bundled up in a hurry and smuggled away. The occupants of the adjoining houses continue to go and come on their daily rounds, with little thought of the grow some house in their rear. What is likely to become of it is hard to predict. Stanford White is dead; and the veil of secrecy he drew over this, his pet haunt, has been rent from end to end. But the house is still there and still his. No other occupant seems likely to hold it. It remains a monument to the Genius, Art and Ruthlessness of one man.

WINS LAETARE MEDAL

**COVETED HONOR GOES TO TRAIN-
ED NEWSPAPER WOMAN.**

**Miss Catherine E. Conway, Editor of
the Boston Pilot, Recognized for
Distinguished Services by
Catholic University.**

Notre Dame, Ind.—Katherine Eleanor Conway, editor of the Boston Pilot, has been selected as the recipient of the Laetare medal for 1907. The medal is bestowed annually by the University of Notre Dame on some member of the Catholic laity in the United States distinguished for service to religion, art, science or philanthropy, and many men and women prominently before the public have been honored with this mark of the esteem of Notre Dame. Miss Conway is the fourth woman to receive the honor.

Katherine Eleanor Conway was born in Rochester, N. Y., and received her education at the convent of the Sacred Heart in that city and at St. Mary's academy, Buffalo. She is now editor of the Boston Pilot, a newspaper that has been rendered famous by the editorial work of John Boyle O'Reilly and James Jeffrey Roche. Miss Conway served a long apprenticeship as assistant to both these men, and when Roche was made consul to Genoa two years ago Miss Conway succeeded to the editorial chair of the Pilot. Her newspaper experience extends over 27 years and during that time she has found time to produce a large body of more permanent literature. She is the author of "On the Sunrise Slope," poems; "Watchwords from John Boyle O'Reilly," "A Dream of Lilies," poems; "A Lady and Her Letters," "Making Friends and Keeping Them," "Questions of Honor," "Bettering Ourselves," "New Footprints in Well-Trodden Ways," "The Way of the World and Other Ways," "Laro's Maples," and, with Clara Erskine Clement, "Christian Symbols and Stories of the Saints." Miss Conway is also a frequent contributor to the general magazines and to literary journals.

In 1883 the faculty of the University of Notre Dame determined to choose each year from the ranks of the Catholic laity of the United States a man or a woman conspicuous for furthering the interests of morality, education and citizenship and to confer on that person a tangible mark of honor that will bear witness to the approbation and sympathy of Notre Dame.

This unique expression of esteem takes the form of the Laetare medal. The medal receives its name from the day on which it is bestowed, Laetare Sunday, the fourth Sunday in Lent.

The day takes its name because the introit of the mass for that day begins with the word "Laetare," which means "rejoice."

The bar from which the disk is suspended is lettered "Laetare Medal." The face of the disk bears the inscription "Magna est Veritas et Provalebit," "Truth is mighty and shall prevail." The reverse has the name of the university and the recipient. The address presented with the medal is painted and printed on silk and sets forth in each instance the special reasons influencing its bestowal.

Dr. John Gilmary Shea, historian, was the first on whom the medal was conferred. The list of subse-



KATHERINE ELEANOR CONWAY.
(Presented with Laetare Medal by
Notre Dame University.)

quent names bears some of the most prominent Catholic laity in the United States. Since 1883, the year in which Dr. Shea was the recipient, the following men and women have received the honor in the order named:

Patrick J. Kelley, architect; Eliza Alton Starr, art critic; Gen. John Newton, civil engineer; Patrick V. Hickey, editor; Anna Hanson Dorsey, novelist; William J. Onahan, publicist; Dainel Dougherty, orator; Maj. Henry W. E. Bronson, soldier and scholar; Patrick Donahue, editor; Augustin Daly, theatrical manager; Gen. William S. Rosencrans, soldier; Anna T. Sadler, author; Dr. Thomas A. Emmett, physician; Timothy E. Howard, jurist; John Creighton, philanthropist; William Bourke Cockran, lawyer and orator; Dr. John Benjamin Murphy, surgeon; Charles Jerome Bonaparte, lawyer and statesman; Richard C. Kerens, jurist; Thomas E. Fitzpatrick, financier; Francis J. Quinlan, surgeon.

DANCED WITH POET IN 1832.

**Longfellow was a Guest at Wedding
of Portland's Oldest Woman.**

Portland, Me.—Mrs. Phineas F. Varnum, the oldest woman in Portland and a contemporary of the poet, Henry W. Longfellow, with whom she danced



Mrs. Phineas F. Varnum.

at her wedding in 1832, the other day celebrated the ninety-seventh anniversary of her birth.

Except for a slight lameness as the result of rheumatism, Mrs. Varnum is in remarkably good health and retains

a wonderful command of her faculties. She reads daily without the aid of glasses and is at present engaged in completing a piece of embroidery which involves much fine work.

On Washington's birthday Mrs. Varnum showed unusual activity. She arose early and awoke the other members of the household with a loud blast from a tin horn which she annually brings forth on the day given over to the memory of the Father of His Country, and then before breakfast superintended the draping of a flag in the reception room window, so that it would be plainly visible from the street.

During the day she read a good deal, entertained two callers and continued her embroidery on a tray cloth which is elaborately designed in many colors. Although she always despised the custom, she now takes daily naps in the early part of the afternoon.

Before her marriage Mrs. Varnum was well acquainted with Longfellow. She was the daughter of Elias Thomas and lived in the old Thomas mansion situated on the present site of the Church of the Messiah, within a minute's walk of Longfellow's birthplace. At the time of her wedding reception in 1832, Mr. Longfellow and his brothers and sisters were present and she distinctly remembers dancing with the poet on this occasion.

CROCKER MEMORIAL CHURCH.

**Built Mainly of Field Stones After
Early Norman Style.**

New York.—A memorial church, given by George Crocker to the Episcopal mission of St. John to Ramsey, N. J., in memory of his wife, who died several years ago, has just been completed. The church is designed after the early Norman style, as found in the south of England. It is constructed mainly of field stones, laid with their natural faces exposed, with dressed stone trimmings about the windows, doorways and essential details. On the east facade is the characteristic battlemented tower, with belfry and low spire. The transepts are placed in the chancel, and form the choir and organ chamber, directly back of which is the sanctuary.

The main entrance is in the tower, at the east, opening directly into the nave, which seats, with the choir, 200 persons. The ceiling of the nave shows the wood trusses and urline exposed and finished in Flemish stain. The chancel, which is divided from the nave by a pointed arch, is arranged for a vested choir and for an organ loft. Separated from the chancel by another pointed arch is the sanctuary.

The erection of the church was carried on with the greatest simplicity of detail consistent with thoroughness and beauty. The structure, with the ecclesiastical fittings and pipe organ,



Novel Memorial Church.

cost \$12,000. Mr. Crocker last summer gave a new pipe organ to the church. The Rev. Dr. Jackson of Alendale, N. J., is the priest in charge of the mission.

Millions of Ties Demanded.

Owing to the unusual activity in railroad building, it is estimated that in Ontario alone 4,500,000 ties will be cut this year.



**THE MAGNIFICENT STUDIO IN WHICH
WHITE DELIGHTED TO PHOTOGRAPH HIS
FAVORITES.**

practices which he said were carried on within its walls; "you may have trouble to find this place, for it is well concealed."

Well concealed it is, for though a man knew street and number he might search all day and never find it, going on his way at last satisfied the address he had was wrong. No stranger in the street ever saw the windows of Stanford White's studio; a man might pass through the outer door of the house, and wander all through the building, and though he would find easy access to the studios or rooms of

scream," said Evelyn Thaw before the court, as she told of her waking in the room of the mirrors. "Then I screamed and screamed and screamed, and he came over and asked me to please keep quiet. Then I began to scream more than ever." All this between Broadway and Sixth avenue, within a stone's throw of the humdrum shopping district of Twenty-third street!

Commonplace Surroundings.

One wall of the studio backs on the Eden Musee, the delight of children and simple country visitor. The tu-

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THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE!

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For the United States Senate from the Oklahoma side of the state, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries on May 23, 1907.

KNOCKING THE HOME PAPER.

It is no uncommon thing to hear people in a little town speak more or less contemptuously of their little home paper. That's a very easy thing to do. Indeed it's easy to pick flaws in anybody or anything under the sun; and there be some who spend their lives largely doing that sort of thing—in most cases useless lives.

These who have the habit of sneering at their home paper, tossing it aside with, "There's nothing in it," or some similar comment, have perhaps at some time past picked up without pay a New York World, or an Oklahoman, or a Dallas News, and haven't any more sense than to expect a metropolitan paper to be published in their little home towns. Were you to put one of these little critical creatures in a city big enough that he could get a big paper, hot from the press every day, the fact is he would get lost and would soon starve to death.

The fact is, any town anywhere gets just as good a home paper as it deserves, and in most cases, better. It's notoriously true that the disposition of newspapers to grow faster than the town and to give too much for the money is a continuing curse to the financial end of the business.

To take an example closest home: The Ada News is just as big as Ada is, and bigger. Men who come down here from New York, from Oklahoma City, from Dallas—men competent to judge

—express surprise at finding a daily paper as big and as good as it is in a city as small as Ada.

The News has an abundance of faults and shortcomings. Some of them can be remedied with small effort, and they are going to be in the near future. But as for making it a big metropolitan affair, so that a subscriber can read a copy clear through a case of slow fever—that's in the very dim and hazy future. In the meantime some of these little folks who have to live in little cities had best weed some of these big metropolitan notions out of their little craniums.

THAT ALLEGED DICKER.

The Ada Democrat editorially this week arraigns severely Judge Baker, of Wewoka, for his argument that Seminole being indisposed to put out any candidate for either state senator or floater this time, conceding both to Pontotoc as a compliment to Judge Furman's candidacy for the United States Senate—that therefore it would be the nice and reciprocal thing for Pontotoc to refrain from putting forth a candidate for district judge.

Insinuating that such a political deal may have been attempted. The Democrat proceeds to denounce any such presumptuous enterprise, saying "We should like to be informed who in these two counties has the right to apportion the offices, anyway."

While The Democrat does not openly accuse any Pontotoc man of dickering with Judge Baker and of trying to "apportion the offices," still it takes two to make a trade, and, assuming such a trade attempted, suspicion would naturally attach to one or more of the three candidates from Pontotoc who have announced for the offices of state senator and floater.

Since I am one of those three I feel it my duty to disclaim any part whatever in any such deal. I have not so much as expressed to Judge Baker any sympathy for his candidacy. Neither has anyone else with my authority so much as discussed with him a dickering of that character. The offices belong to the people, are alone theirs to bestow, and whosoever will may run.

OTIS B. WEAVER,
Candidate for State Senator from Pontotoc and Seminole Counties.

APPRECIATED.

Weaver's Candidacy for Senate Secures
Favorable Press Comment.

Otis Weaver, editor of the Ada News, is a candidate for the State Senate. If Weaver's service to the party in the past is rewarded as it deserves he should be elected without opposition, and it looks like he will be. That he may be is the wish of the Times.—Mill Creek Times.

The latest newspaper man to break into the political arena, is Otis B. Weaver, of Ada, who is running for the state senate from Pontotoc county. Now while we know very little personally, about Mr. Weaver, we've been a pretty close reader of his paper, The News, and from that we can say that he is certainly a Democrat, the kind that spares neither time, space or money in the furtherance of his party's interests. His long residence in this country with the ability he has displayed in making a success out of his paper he should be fully equipped to creditably represent his county senatorially. Then besides, we believe that the press boys have, more than any other factor, been the means of bringing this country to what it now is and are entitled to a front seat.—Tupelo Times.

Sorosis.

The Sorosis Club met with Mrs Sledge on Thursday. The club is studying Hamlet this year, from which its members have realized a great deal of profit and pleasure. There were a number of invited guests, who enjoyed the literary program as well as the social hour. Miss Murray Lucas delighted all with her vocal and instrumental solos. Mrs. Perkins' well rendered reading was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Delicious refreshments were served.

An Ada woman says you should be "ready" to buy a new hat whenever the NEWEST hat is ready for you.

It's virtues have been established for many years, and thousands of people have been made happy by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

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The New M. E. Church, South

Rev. Thomas Lee Rippey, Pastor.

The beautiful new church building, the worshipping place for the First M. E. Church, South, of Ada, the most magnificent and best arranged house of worship of any town of our size in the Territory, has been completed.

The building is located at the corner of 14th and Townsend, and is at the exact geographical center of the city.

This fact is due to the persistent and untiring efforts of Pastor Thos. L. Rippey and the faithful congregation, who have worked in perfect unison and accord with the end ever in view which has just been reached.

The congregation and pastor have contributed most liberally both in labors of construction and in means, and now at the completion of the great work the Church finds itself with only a moderate debt on its building.

The building committee is composed of J. W. Hays, president of the Citizens National Bank; John W. Beard, prominent citizen and capitalist; Frank Jones, cashier of the Ada National Bank, and Thos. L. Rippey, pastor of the church.

The entire cost of the new building, which does not include the lots on which it is located, has been some \$13,000, but the building committee feels that, by careful contracting and proper distribution of contracts, they have fully a \$20,000 structure. The building of the church was not let by a contract in a lump to any one party, but the several different classes of work were let out in separate contracts, with the building committee ever overseeing the work and on the lookout to save the church a few dollars. It was owing to their carefulness that such an amount of money has been saved.

The actual construction was commenced some time in June of last year, and including time lost in waiting for material, bad weather, etc., only about nine months have been consumed in constructing the new home for Ada Methodism.

The building on the first floor is constituted of the large main auditorium, a good sized lecture room, and the pastor's study, aside from several closets and vestibules. The main auditorium and lecture room have a seating capacity of fully 600 people, with room for 800 when chairs are also used.

On the second floor of the building will be found two large parlors to be used as reception rooms, and a kitchen for special occasions, and several closets. The parlors are each 14x20 feet in dimensions, while the kitchen is but little smaller.

There are two stairways leading to the second floor, one at the front of the church and one at the rear.

Oak pews have been installed in the main auditorium and lecture room, and they, like everything else connected with the new building, are of the very best, being neat and comfortable. They are exceptional good seats, are all oak with quarter-sawn treble ends, the heaviest furniture made, and were purchased from H. C. Vaught & Co., of Parker, Ind., one of the largest establishments of its kind in the central west.

One of the most beautiful parts of the church are the handsome cathedral glass windows, 33 in number, bought from the J. J. Wagner Co., of Kansas City, Mo., who deal exclusively in fancy church windows. This firm made an especial effort on the windows for the church, which was, perhaps, due to Bro. Rippey's two visits to their establishment, and informed authorities state that the new windows present the best work of glazing they have ever seen. Several of the windows contain figures of the old biblical characters and others contain those of more modern christian personages. Others contain emblems of christianship, and these are all hand painted work. On the south side of the building is a group of three windows containing the figures of John and Charles Wesley with the apostle John in the center. These windows were presented respectively, one by Evangelist French E. Oliver, one by Pastor Rippey and family, and the third has been put in in loving remembrance of the late Sam P. Jones. The cost of these three windows was \$100 each.

On the north side of the church is one of the three most handsome windows. Its cost was \$250 and was put in for the Sunday school and Women's Home Missionary society in appreciation of the work they have done in the interest of the church. The Sunday school has already raised \$700 and in the next six months will have raised \$300 more, which will nearly pay for the windows. The entire cost of the windows was \$1,100.

Another one of the \$250 windows was put in by the traveling men who make Ada, selling their various lines, and is one of the prettiest things in the whole church. Aside from this it is one of the most appreciated contributions re-

ceived. Their window is located on the front, overlooking the porch.

In the front vestibule is located the window which is a contribution from the Indians of this locality. This \$65 window the Indians are paying for, and seem to take great interest in the work.

On one of the north windows is the inscription "Offering of the Frisco Railroad Boys." This is the window put in by the local Frisco Railroad employees, and cost \$65.

The contractors who did the masonry, as well as the carpenters who handled the wood work, each contributed a window to show their appreciation of the good of the work and their good fellowship toward their employers.

In the new building are also win-

dows dedicated to the Senior and Junior Leagues.

Others are inscribed with emblems and figures of "The Wise Virgin," "Christ Knocking at the Door," "The Good Shepherd," "Moses and the Law," etc.

The new church is carpeted throughout with carpets of Wilton velvet, and their entire cost was \$502.48.

Electric lights were installed and the wiring done by the Ada Electric Co. In the dome of the main auditorium there are a total of eighty-seven lights, and in the entire church there is a total of one hundred and fifteen.

The Woman's Home Mission Society has raised \$1,017 which will pay for the new furniture.

The entire building is heated by furnaces, two large ones being located in

the cellar, and radiators placed in every room of the building. These furnaces were purchased from the Ohler Heating Company, of South McAlester, and are of the very best kind obtainable.

During the construction of this new building there were but two contracts awarded to parties out of Ada, and then only because there was no one here who would bid on the work. These contracts were the ones for the heating apparatus and for the brick laying and masonry. This later was let to F. W. Tibbets, of Denison, Texas, who did the work in a most satisfactory manner.

The carpenter work was all done by contract by Freese & Burford, local contractors, who did their part of the contract fully up to the expectations of the building committee.

P. T. Ingram attended to all the

painting, tinting and frescoing done on the building, and a good piece of work it was. It was this that had much to do with the beautiful appearance the church now presents.

The contract for tinning and gutting was also given to a local man, E. P. Meigs, whose work was highly satisfactory in every respect.

J. H. Keene, of Ada, did the plastering and seemed to take especial pride in the work, after considering the cause he was working for. By his pains he has done much towards beautifying the interior of the building.

There are four entrances to the main auditorium of the church, each approached by a vestibule, and aside from this there is an entrance at the rear of the building. This number of entrances will make it possible, on special occasions when great crowds are in attendance at worship, for an easy entrance or exit. The building committee and architect are due praise for this forethought.

Parr & Smith, of South McAlester, two of the very best architects in this part of the country, drew the plans for this commodious building, and are to be commended for their minuteness and correctness. Their aid to the building committee was of vast importance, and the committee were very fortunate in securing such competent men to draw the plans. Working upon suggestions from the architects the committee secured nothing except the very best and most competent workmen and used nothing but the best material. The result of this carefulness is now in evidence—the beautiful new house of worship stands without a peer in the new state, in a town of our size.

We must not fail to make mention of the elegant little study for the pastor provided in the rear of the church building. Well ventilated, with two large windows and nicely furnished, it will be an ideal place for the deliberations of a thoughtful man. An old-fashioned fire place has been provided, and altogether it is a very commodious little room.

The pastor, Rev. Thos. L. Rippey, can not be given too much praise for his interest and perseverance in this big undertaking of building such an elegant new home for the local church. It was he who first conceived the idea, it was he who talked the new church proposition to his congregation and made many followers in the movement, and it was he who in spite of some slight objections at the start has carried a great undertaking to a successful finish. This is the third year of Brother Rippey's pastorate in Ada, and during those three years he has made many warm friends by his learned teachings and by his Christian fellowship. Aside from this there are those who can not but admire him for his sticktoitiveness at church building, which fact has been fully demonstrated to Ada people in the past nine months.

Monday afternoon from three to five o'clock the ladies of the Home Missionary Society will give a China shower at the parlors of the church. This is done for the purpose of furnishing the China closet, so there will be no wanting in this line at social functions when eatables are to be served. A lunch of light refreshments will be served free and the public of Ada is invited to be in attendance.

Brother Rippey announces that the revival at the new church will begin on the first Sunday in June. He will be assisted by his father, Rev. W. M. P. Rippey, of Chickasha.

OPENING SERVICES.

The opening services at the new church will be held tomorrow.

Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. W. F. McMurray, D. D., of Louisville, Ky., secretary of the Methodist church Extension Board is coming for the purpose of opening the church and will speak at both these services.

At three o'clock in the afternoon there will be a service held at the church at which all the pastors of the city and visiting preachers will participate. The public is most earnestly invited to attend any or all of these services.

Full program of tomorrow's opening services will be found on another page.

In Mayor's Court.

John Turner yesterday pleaded guilty to being drunk, and was assessed a fine of \$7.75. This morning young Edmun Hazelwood, living over in Old Town was taken before the Mayor charged with jumping on a train while in motion, and stealing a short ride. His fine was fixed at \$7.75.

There are three prisoners in the city bastille at present, who the city are feeding, and who should be put to work on the streets and made to in that way pay their fines and board bills.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

We need to learn, not only how to make our living, but how to make our contribution to the living world.—Rev. T. Ferrier Hulme, M. A.

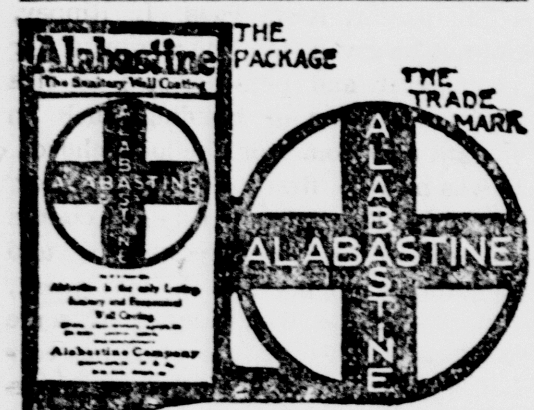
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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Are Safe and Reliable—A Favorite Household Remedy.

Motherhood may be the crowning blessing of a woman's life or it may bring grief and sorrow. Mrs. M. J. Wight, of 170 Seventh Street, Auburn, Maine, relates her experience after the birth of her daughter in 1901, as follows: "I was all run down at the time the baby came and did not improve in health rapidly after. I was pale, thin and bloodless. My stomach distressed me being full of gas all the time and my heart fluttered so that I could scarcely breathe.

"Finally I remembered that a friend had recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to me so I commenced using them. I gained in strength rapidly while the baby thrived also. When I expected my next child I started taking the pills again as a tonic and strengthener and had no such difficulty as before. I got up better and my strength came back much sooner. "A year ago last winter I had an attack of rheumatism in the hands which went from one hand to the other. The joints swelled up and were so stiff I could not move them. The pain extended up through my arms and shoulders. I felt sick enough to go to bed but did not do so. This attack lasted for several months. I tried several remedies but finally came back to using the pills which had done me so much good before and found that they benefited me almost at once. I have not been troubled since.

All druggists sell Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, or they will be sent by mail post-paid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y. Send for book of cures.



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THE LAZIEST MAN ALIVE.

After 29 Years in Bed He Is Obligated to Get Up.

What may well be the world's record has been established by a man named James Thompson, who went to bed in 1877 and did not leave it until about a fortnight ago. "The laziest man alive" was a term applied to him by the Lurgan guardians, says the London Telegraph.

Thompson, who lives with his mother at Clare, Lurgan, was still a youth when he began his long rest. He was looked after by his mother, and his presence in the house was hardly known to the villagers. He would have remained in bed for the rest of his life in all probability had not a crisis occurred in his domestic affairs.

Mrs. Thompson, who is now 80 years of age, was at that time taken ill, and had to be removed to the Union infirmary. Left helplessly alone, Thompson was compelled to get up. A search was made for the suit which he discarded 29 years ago, but he was unable to dress without assistance. Two neighbors were called in, and the work of squeezing him into the clothes occupied the three men a whole evening. When dressed he was too tired to walk and an ambulance had to be brought to convey him to the Union. He reposed there until his mother was well enough to leave the infirmary, when he followed her home. This time he was compelled to walk, as the guardians refused an ambulance.

The facts of the case came out when the relieving officer applied to the Lurgan guardians for relief for Mrs. Thompson, who has only occasional help from some more energetic sons who have emigrated to Australia. She was allowed 18 pence a week. The recital of the story convulsed the guardians.

RAISES CHICKS IN KITCHEN.

Philadelphia Man Has New and Paying Industry.

Realizing the demand for early chickens and knowing that they command good prices, a West Philadelphia dentist, who is much interested in poultry raising, is trying the novel experiment of raising chickens in his kitchen. He expects to have from 30 to 40 broilers by the first of June, and if they weigh more than two pounds each by that time there will be a good market for them at 50 cents per pound. The doctor, profiting by his experience of last winter, decided to try a new game this year. He set several hens near the furnace in the cellar in January, and one hatched out 19 chicks. As soon as hatched the chickens were taken to the kitchen and placed in a specially constructed cage. He says they need all the room they can have. About the middle of March the chickens can go outside. As the doctor has not lost a single chicken, he is led to believe that he has found a way to raise early chickens, and says he expects to set every hen he has in the cellar next winter. He also intends to enter the duck and goose business on a small scale. A grocer who sells to the best trade has promised to buy every fowl the doctor raises and pay the highest prices.—Philadelphia Record.

Must Have Been Sanitary.

Both the medical officer and the surveyor of the Tarvin (Cheshire) rural district council have condemned a cottage at Caldecott Green, near Farnham, England, for demolition as insanitary. But the tenant, an old man, appeared before the council and told a remarkable story "in stay of execution." He stated that he was 73 years old, and lived in the cottage with his wife and three children. For 60 years there had not been a case of illness in his family. His father and mother lived in the cottage before him; his father died at the age of 96 and the mother at 89. He did not think that there could be much wrong with the cottage in the face of these facts. In reply to the clerk the old fellow said that personally he had never had a doctor, and the only time a medical man had been in his cottage was when his little son had scalded his leg. Under the exceptional circumstances the council decided to adjourn the matter for further inquiries to be made.

The Sin of Untruth.

The absconding treasurer was observed looking over the papers. "Dear me," he remarked, mournfully, "how sad that the newspaper men will lie so. Here's three different ones that have reported me as in Atlanta, Denver and Portland at the same time." "You're a little late," said the editor, "for the public right decided not to try to set the public right."

Speaking of Health.

Cobb Webb, Dr. Bismuth, out in our town is the greatest health crank I ever heard of. Why, do you know, he will never buy any sausage until he has tested every link with a stethoscope? Cobb Webb. Why does he do that, pray? Cobb Webb.—To hear whether they grunt or bark.

A Protest.

"Poets have always had scanty encouragement." "Yes," answered the sad-eyed youth, with lanky fingers. "The idea seems to be that poetry is something everybody ought to read and nobody ought to write."

FIGURES OF A CROP IN WESTERN CANADA.

How a Swan River Settler Has Succeeded.

Penito, Manitoba, Nov. 23, 1906. At Swan River Valley, in May, 1900, a settler took up a homestead on Section 30, in Township 34, Range 20 West of the First Meridian, at that time 50 miles from a railway, telegraph, school or church. There is now a railway within two miles of my farm, and all these other advantages close at hand. His story is:

"After making my homestead entry fee of \$10 I had \$45.00 total (forty-five dollars) capital. Through doing homestead duties in slack times of the year, I managed to get a start. I am a married man of 28 years of age.

"I built my first house, or shack, and broke up 8 acres, putting five acres in crop the first year.

"This year, 1906, I had 80 acres in crop—65 acres in wheat, 20 acres of which yielded 850 bushels, or 42½ bushels per acre; 15 acres of oats, which yielded 355 bushels, and one stack of oats in sheaf for feed.

"Receipts for the year—Sold 1,755 bu. of wheat for \$1,037.10 In granary, 110 bushels..... 71.50 In granary, 355 bu. oats..... 88.75 Garden roots and vegetables..... 25.00 One stack of oats in sheaf..... 50.00

Total.....\$1,272.35 Expenses of year—Blue stone for seed.....\$ 1.60 Paid for binder twine..... 30.00 Paid for hired help..... 120.00 Paid for threshing..... 107.00

Total.....\$ 258.60 Receipts.....\$1,272.35 Expenditures..... 258.60 Balance.....\$1,013.75

Assets.

160 acres of land valued at.....\$2,500.00 Frame house 20x26, valued at..... 600.00 Farm implements..... 425.00 1 team horses and harness..... 400.00 5 head young cattle..... 75.00 2 hogs..... 15.00 Receipts for this year's crop..... 1,013.75

Total.....\$5,030.75 Liabilities.

Loan on farm..... 500.00 Balance to my good.....\$4,530.75

Particulars as to how to secure low railway rates to the free homestead lands of Western Canada may be secured from any Canadian Government Agent.

GHOSTS PLAY MANY PRANKS.

Grab Rope from Dellringer and Cut Down Trees.

Ghostly happenings have disturbed the town of Kirkwall, the capital of the county of Orkney. On Wednesday night, says the London Daily Mail, the wife of the bellringer went to St. Magnus cathedral to sound the curfew at eight o'clock. This is an ancient custom still observed in the burgh. The bell had been tolled for less than a minute, when, it is alleged, a figure suddenly appeared at the woman's side, snatched her hands from the rope and as mysteriously disappeared. Another morning 20 trees which a few years ago were planted in front of the cathedral were found to have been cut down. The night was a calm one, with brilliant moonlight, and the trees were standing at one o'clock in the morning.

Hundreds of windows have an outlook on the spot, and many people who were still astr at three o'clock in the morning did not hear the slightest sound outside. Yet an hour later every tree had been destroyed. The police are baffled.

FURIOUS HUMOR ON CHILD.

Itching, Bleeding Sores Covered Body—Nothing Helped Her—Cuticura Cures Her in Five Days.

"After my granddaughter of about seven years had been cured of the measles, she was attacked about a fortnight later by a furious itching and painful eruption all over her body, especially the upper part of it, forming watery and bleeding sores, especially under the arms, of considerable size. She suffered a great deal and for three weeks we nursed her every night, using all the remedies we could think of. Nothing would help. We tried the Cuticura Remedies and after twenty-four hours we noted considerable improvement, and after using only one complete set of the Cuticura Remedies, in five consecutive days the little one, much to our joy, had been entirely cured, and has been well for a long time. Mrs. F. Ruefenacht, R. P. D. No. 3, Bakersfield, Cal., June 25 and July 20, 1906."

At the Star Theater, Seattle, the other evening the flags of several nations were exhibited in succession during an act on the stage. All except the flags of Russia and Japan were applauded. The former was received in silence, the latter was loudly hissed.

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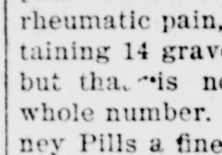
When you are praised by a man for whom you cannot possibly do any favor and who, as you know, is aware of the fact, you may find it reasonably safe to conclude that he isn't laying it on any too thick.

CURED OF GRAVEL.

Not a Single Stone Has Formed Since Using Doan's Kidney Pills.

J. D. Daughtrey, music publisher, of Suffolk, Va., says: "During two or three years that I had kidney trouble I passed 2½ pounds of gravel and sandy sediment in the urine. I haven't passed a stone since using Doan's Kidney Pills, however, and that was three years ago. I used to suffer the most acute agony during a gravel attack, and had the other usual symptoms of kidney trouble—lassitude, headache, pain in the back, urinary disorders, rheumatic pain, etc. I have a box containing 14 gravel stones that I passed, but that is not one-quarter of the whole number. I consider Doan's Kidney Pills a fine kidney tonic."

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Churning Dogs.

A curious point in regard to the new dogs act occupied the attention of the Carnarvon county bench on Saturday, says the London Daily Mail. The superintendent reported that eight persons had applied for exemptions in respect of dogs which were used for churning. Issard Davids inquired whether it had not been decided that to use dogs for such a purpose was cruelty, but several of his colleagues replied in the negative. The bench decided that the owners of the churning dogs must take out licenses.

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Photographs of Brave Men.

The Mikado and the crown prince of Japan are each having an album made of photographs of all the military and naval officers killed in the war with Russia.

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The price of liberty is eternal vigilance—the price of instant relief from any kind of itching trouble known is Fifty cents. Hunt's Cure is what does the work and does it wonderfully well.

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The extraordinary popularity of fine white goods this summer makes the choice of Starch a matter of great importance. Defiance Starch, being free from all injurious chemicals, is the only one which is safe to use on fine fabrics. Its great strength as a stiffener makes half the usual quantity of Starch necessary, with the result of perfect finish, equal to that when the goods were new.

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a pretty face, a good figure, but sooner or later learn that the healthy, happy, contented woman is most of all to be admired.

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is to learn as to the relative standing and reliability of the leading manufacturers of medicinal agents, as the most eminent physicians are the most careful as to the uniform quality and perfect purity of remedies prescribed by them, and it is well known to physicians and the Well-Informed generally that the California Fig Syrup Co., by reason of its correct methods and perfect equipment and the ethical character of its product has attained to the high standing in scientific and commercial circles which is accorded to successful and reliable houses only, and, therefore, that the name of the Company has become a guarantee of the excellence of its remedy.

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appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing, therefore we wish to call the attention of all who would enjoy good health, with its blessings, to the fact that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and the use of medicines dispensed with generally to great advantage, but as in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time, the California Fig Syrup Co. feels that it is alike important to present truthfully the subject and to supply the one perfect laxative remedy which has won the approval of physicians and the world-wide acceptance of the Well-Informed because of the excellence of the combination, known to all, and the original method of manufacture, which is known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

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IN THE HOUSEHOLD

MATTERS OF GENERAL SANITARY IMPORTANCE.

Proper Care of the Bathroom and Its Appurtenances—To Clean Incandescent Mantles—Getting Rid of Ants.

Besides the stationary belongings to the bathroom—tubs, shower bath, lavatory and closet—there should be a room completely furnished, a soap dish, spongeholder, soiled linen basket, tumbler holder, robe hook, match box, and toilet paper holder. Each one of these articles should be kept in order with exactness and regularity. Plenty of soap and warm water should be used on the enameled work, with occasional additions of ammonia. The nickel plating should be rubbed with a soft dry cloth, whitening being used as a polish.

Patent prescriptions for nickel plate should be avoided, as they often contain an acid that destroys the metal.

Sanitary plumbing is of such great importance in building a house every item that makes for show should be cut out if it deprives the bathroom of the best class of work. Cases of illness are certain to follow cheap plumbing, with doctors' bills to prove a severe punishment for the false economy.

To clean incandescent mantels, first remove the globe, then lift off the remaining parts, and place on a table. Take off the chimney, then with a hatpin put half way through the cord at the top of the mantle, lift off carefully and place each end of the pin on the side of a tumbler, the mantle hanging down between them. Then pour carefully over the mantle a little pyralated spirits. Remove the film and with a soft brush clean the mantle. Then apply a lighted match to burn the spirits off mantle (as when new). Clean the chimney with a little of the spirits left in tumbler, then the globe.

Replace both, and you will have a beautiful, clear light and your mantle will last at least a few months longer. Be careful not to put a lighted match near the spirits.

In cleaning a stopped waste pipe, first remove the grate in the sink. Get three round pieces of leather which will fit the waste pipe, cut a piece of broom handle one and one-half feet long, and place the three pieces of leather on top of each other. Drive a long nail through the center and into the end of the handle. Insert in the waste pipe and move quickly up and down.

To eliminate ants, the surest way is to find the nest and destroy it. Place some grains of coarse granulated sugar where it will be found easily by the ants and then watch each loaded body as it scampers over the line of march to the nest. Often the track ends at a well, especially if the house is old, and it may be necessary to cut away a portion of the surface before the nest can be reached. At other times the little fellows make straight for out of doors with a wisdom one only can marvel at. Then if followed they will be seen to enter a hole in the ground. This is the nest. When the nest is in the house, saturate it thoroughly with kerosene, or with boiling water, doing the work quickly, for the spray little mites will hurry to get away from the death dealing fluid. Any portion of the wall or of the flooring that has been removed in order to reach the nest can be replaced when the work is accomplished.

TIME TO CLEAN FURS.

Bran Is the Best Agent That Can Be Employed.

Every woman who wears furs should clean them this season, no matter how carefully they have been worn, for they are surely dirty, though dark skins may not show the soil. Many light ones, however, give marked evidences now of the need of cleansing.

This cleaning process that restores the luster and "life" may be easily done at home by rubbing bran into the fur. For this work buy a pound of bran, divide it into two portions, and place one in the oven to heat. Spread the fur on paper on a table and rub it well all over with the cold bran. Then shake out the bran and brush the fur with a soft hair brush. When the rest of the bran feels hot, rub it evenly into the fur in the same manner as before. Shake it out and brush it till the fur is quite free from all bran and dust.

Ermine, white fox and other white skins require slightly different treatment. Sawdust and plaster of paris, mixed half and half, should be heated and rubbed into the skin several times. Then the coat, collar, etc., should be put in the sun, to air or else hung near a radiator.

A white felt of chiffon hat may be much freshened by rubbing powdered magnesia into it as firmly as one can without injuring the material, and then brushing out with a soft brush. Repeat this several times.

Rust Blemishes.

Rust may be removed from nickel plating by covering the spots with mutton tallow and letting it stand for several days. If this treatment is followed by a rubbing with powdered rottenstone and then by a thorough washing with strong ammonia, succeeded by clear water, and a final polishing with dry whiting, stubborn cases will yield.—Woman's Life.

OLD CANNON CAN'T BE BROKEN.

Armament of Old Craft Was Made to Last.

A good story is being told at the Mare Island navy yard concerning a San Francisco contractor who bought all the old obsolete cannon which were sold at the local yard some time ago. The cannon were all of the smooth bore kind, and in order that they might be easily handled for shipment to the city all sorts of schemes were tried to endeavor to break them with dynamite and blasting powder, but they were unsuccessful.

An electric drill machine was even set up at the yards and the cannon were drilled full of holes in order to weaken them for breaking open with wedges, but this was also unsuccessful. The cannon were then taken away and the last heard of them they were corralled in the hills near Point Richmond, where an effort was being made to break them open with dynamite again.

The cannon which proved to be so strong were among the armament of the war craft which sailed the seas in 1812.

BLOOD GETS SOUR.

Every Family Should Make Up This Home Mixture and Take Now.

At this time of year, says a well-known authority, the kidneys become weak, clogged and inactive, failing to filter out the poisons and acids, which sour the blood, causing not only facial and bodily eruptions, but the worst forms of Rheumatism, Nervous and Stomach troubles, Backache and painful, annoying urinary afflictions.

It is worth anyone's time now to get from some good prescription pharmacy the following ingredients: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after your meals and at bedtime.

This simple home-made mixture will force the kidneys to normal, healthy action, so they will filter and strain all uric acid and poisonous waste matter from the blood, and expel this in the urine, at the same time restoring the "full blood count"—that is, 95 percent red blood corpuscles—which is absolutely indispensable to perfect health.

Indians in United States.

In round figures, there are 284,000 Indians in the United States at the present time, 91,000 of whom are in Indian territory and 15,000 in Oklahoma, or 106,000 in the coming state. Those of Indian territory, the five civilized tribes—Cherokees, Creeks, Choctaws, Chickasaws and Seminoles—have been managing their own affairs for two-thirds of a century, and are in all respects fitted for the citizenship which they are soon to exercise. All of these, and nearly all of those in the Oklahoma end of the coming state, wear civilized dress, and have schools, churches and the other accompaniments of civilization.—Leslie's.

Tantalizing Man.

"I see by the paper," said Mrs. Blinks at the breakfast table, "that a delegation of women suffragettes is coming to this country."

Mr. Blinks said nothing.

"And they're going to invade Washington and make a speech to the president, and all."

Blinks still silent.

"I declare," snapped the lady, "You're the most tantalizing man in existence. There you sit like a statue, never saying a word to show that you don't know what you're talking about."

Origin of Passports.

The passport system is said to have had its beginning in England in the time of King Canute, who obtained free passes for his subjects through various continental countries on their pilgrimages to the shrines of the Apostles Peter and Paul at Rome.

A FRIENDLY GROCER.

Dropped a Valuable Hint About Coffee.

"For about eight years," writes a Mich. woman, "I suffered from nervousness—part of the time down in bed with nervous prostration."

"Sometimes I would get numb and it would be almost impossible for me to speak for a spell. At others, I would have severe bilious attacks, and my heart would flutter painfully when I would walk fast or sweep."

"I have taken enough medicine to start a small drug store, without any benefit. One evening our grocer was asking husband how I was and he urged that I quit coffee and use Postum, so he brought home a pkg. and I made it according to directions and we were both delighted with it."

"So we quit coffee altogether and used only Postum. I began to get better in a month's time and look like another person, the color came back to my cheeks, I began to sleep well, my appetite was good and I commenced to take on flesh and become interested in everything about the house."

"Finally I was able to do all my own work without the least sign of my old trouble. I am so thankful for the little book, 'The Road to Wellville.' It has done me so much good. I haven't taken medicine of any kind for six months and don't need any."

"A friend of ours who did not like Postum as she made it, liked mine, and when she learned to boil it long enough, her's was as good as mine. It's easy if you follow directions." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

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Keep your fears to yourself, but share your courage with others.—Stevens.

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Animals With Backbones. The number of different species of animals known to naturalists is, roughly, 156,000, of which 15,300 are vertebrates, or backboned.

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A True Story

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"What I say for Wine of Cardui," she writes, "I say truthfully, and I could say a great deal more for it than I have. Before I had ever heard of Wine of Cardui, I had been a sufferer from female troubles for eight (8) years. My doctor could only relieve me at times. I also received a fall, causing several displacements, which added greatly to my suffering."

"The doctors wanted to perform an operation, but I could

not stand the thoughts of that, and I finally began to take Wine of Cardui. Since I began I have used a great deal of it, about 15 bottles, but now I am well, and suffer no pain or other female discomfort. All thanks to you and to your wonderful medicine, Cardui, woman's relief and blessing. Whenever anyone says anything to me about female troubles, my reply is always 'try Wine of Cardui. It did wonders for me and will do the same for you.' You can get Cardui at your druggist's, in \$1 bottles. Try it. It may be just what you need for your troubles."

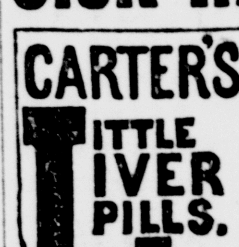
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for over 70 years the favorite medicine, for all common diseases of stomach, liver and bowels. G. H. Hash, of Goshen, Ark., writes: "I had stomach trouble and dyspepsia very bad for years, and tried many remedies, without relief, until I used Theford's Black-Draught, which made me much better."

Big Port of New South Wales.
Newcastle, N. S. W., is now a very important port, with its 80,000 people and situated 102 miles by rail or 60 miles by sea from Sydney. The principal shipments are coal. Last year 1,779 vessels entered and cleared, having a combined tonnage of 2,768,401. Labor troubles are its chief drawback.

The Reason.
Thousands of boxes of Hunt's Cure are sold annually under a strict guarantee to cure Eczema, Tetter, Ringworm and Itch in any known form. Few, indeed, request their money back. The reason is obvious—it does just what it is recommended to do.

Hearing Strangely Restored.
A man of Witten, Germany, who had been almost deaf for some years, recovered his hearing completely after a terrific explosion.

Plan for Good Health! Take Garfield Tea now; it regulates the liver and kidneys, overcomes constipation, purifies the blood and eradicates disease. It is made wholly of Herbs.

A worthy life is impossible without a worthy motive.—Ruskin.

Woman Lobster Catcher.
Mrs. Kate Wilson is supposed to be the only woman professional lobster-catcher in the state of Maine. Mrs. Wilson has a boat whose motive power is a four-horse power gasoline engine, and she is making a success of her business.

Don't Delay.
Save a possible serious spell of Fever later on by cleansing your system now of its accumulation of impurities. Simmon's Sarsaparilla will do it. It makes good blood, fine appetite, great strength and grand ambition.

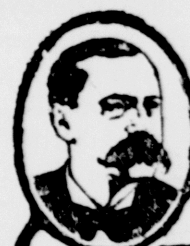
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FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PERSONALS

Ed Franks, with his family, is visiting his brother-in-law, A. A. Walker, a prominent citizen of North Ada.

The bath tubs at Crowder's barber shop are always kept nice and clean. The best trade is appreciated and solicited.

G. L. Parker, of Allen, editor of the Allen Hustler, and chairman of the Democratic county central committee, is in Ada today attending the committee meeting.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton, chicken specialist.

Sam McClure was here from Roff over night on business.

Kokoma Smith, of Konawa, was an Ada visitor last night.

FOR SALE.—Good Surry. Mrs. T. J. Worthington, W. 14th St.

Miss Grace Holley went to Konawa this afternoon for a short visit.

G. C. Wimbish is in Ada from Coricana, Texas.

Marriage license was issued this morning to Jake Yancy and Miss Emma Gillaspie, both of Conway.

H. F. King, of Konawa, is in Ada today on a business mission.

I am now running a small transfer wagon, and would appreciate your business. Small deliveries made for 5c, larger ones in proportion. Phone No. 70. J. R. Ingram.

Robt. M. Cummings returned this morning from a business visit to Shawnee.

WANTED—35 laborers at Rock crusher at Sasakwa, I. T. Wages \$1.60 and \$1.75 per day. Sasakwa Rock Crushing Co.

Miss Gordon, of Wetumka, passed through Ada today on her way home from a visit at Konawa. While here she was the guest of Miss Grace Holley.

H. A. Blackburn, of Blackburn's gin, one of the most substantial farmers in that locality, was in Ada today.

Goody, Goody, Goody—That's what you say. Loose-Wiles chocolates and bon-bons at Mason's.

Attorney W. H. Hammond, of Francis, attended the meeting of the county Democratic central committee today.

FOR RENT: Three or four neatly furnished rooms by the week or month. Corner Rennie and 14th street. T. B. Kile.

Carl Robb, who was run over by a train a few weeks ago, is reported as still improving and it will not be a great time before he will be able to be around again.

Four-room house on East Twelfth street, furnished neat and complete for rent at a reasonable price from May to September. Apply to S. J. Armstrong.

F. C. Harris had several telephone messages last night from his brother, G. G., at Wewoka, saying that a very rich well of oil had just been struck there. F. O. and F. R. Harris will go to Wewoka tonight.

DO YOU PAY CASH FOR YOUR GOODS?

If you do 'phone 70 and save money.

Dry Goods Shoes
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We are now prepared to make prompt deliveries at cut prices.

Highest Patent Soft Wheat
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Come in and look at our line of Dorothy Dodd Shoes.

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CHURCH PROGRAM.

Opening Services of the New M. E. Church, South, Ada, Oklahoma, Sunday, April 14, 1907.

Sermon Both Morning and Evening by Rev. W. F. McMurray, D. D.

Following is a program of the services tomorrow:

MORNING.

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.—Preaching.

Voluntary—"Unto Thee Do We Give Thanks."

Singing from the Methodist Hymnal.

The Apostles Creed.

Prayer.

Anthem—Quartet, "He Shall Hear My Voice."

Lesson from Old Testament.

The Gloria Patri.

Lesson from New Testament.

Notices.

Sermon—by Rev. W. F. McMurray, D. D.

Singing from the Methodist Hymnal.

Benediction.

AFTERNOON.

3:00 O'CLOCK.

Song.

Prayer.

Talks by Resident Pastors—

Rev. Kirtley,

Rev. Robertson,

Rev. Harrell.

Talks by Visiting Pastors.

Song.

Benediction.

EVENING.

7:00 O'CLOCK.

Epworth League.

8:00 O'CLOCK.

Voluntary—"O For a Thousand Tongues"

Song—Methodist Hymnal.

Prayer.

Anthem—"Evening Prayer."

Sermon—by Rev. W. F. McMurray.

Song.

Benediction.

A part of the Ada Merchants' Band went to Allen today where they will tonight present the minstrel performance put on by them at the opera house here a few weeks ago.

The clock ticks and ticks the time away, Shortening up our lives each day,

Eat, drink and be merry,

For some day you will be where,

You can't get Rocky Mountain Tea.

Free samples at G. M. Ramsey's.

Instead of the regular meeting of the Home Mission society Monday afternoon, the ladies will entertain their friends in the parlors of the new church from 3:00 to 5:00. All cordially invited.

Gymnastics alone can never give that elasticity, ease and graceful figure which comes by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

G. M. Ramsey.

Join the Procession.

JUDGE for yourselves,

U then come to my store,

Do your Produce (buying from floor and shelves.)

Get into the line, make haste to my door;

Enter straight in and buy.

Have them sent to your door.

I can inform you the goods are O-K.

Let me show you chickens so gay

To bring poultry lovers from every way,

O come, buy one small bill,

Never will I lose you as a customer still.

Judge Hilton

Phone

STRAYED or Stolen

On or about March 15, my brown Jersey cow disappeared from Daniel Hayes' pasture. She was branded bar A on side, and is fresh by this time. \$5.00 reward for her return to me.

Geo. Irwin.

The Sweetest Story Ever Told.

Our Candy Department.

WE are the sole agents for the Red Band Candy of New York manufacture, a factory that makes 20 tons of fine candy a day. We want you to try some for yourself. This means candies which are pure and wholesome, made in well-lighted work rooms, by skillful help, with the most modern hygienic apparatus. Every possible means are employed to maintain and safeguard the high quality of this delicious composition.

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Cream Dates
Vanilla Fudge

Seeing is believing.
Come in and be convinced.

The Nickel Store

HALL.

S. M. SHAW, Prop.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Patton, of Tishomingo, were in Ada, their former home, today for a few hours. Mrs. Patton will visit with relatives in Konawa and Frisco, while Mr. Patton completes his work at Guthrie as journal clerk of the constitutional convention. In his candidacy for clerk of the supreme court he is meeting with encouragement everywhere and will probably have no opposition.

Don't Miss it—that musical T given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church at the home of W. G. Currie next Tuesday night. There will be abundant enjoyment for everybody.

Notice to Dead-Beats.

The Ada Retail Merchants' association announces that hereafter no one of their members will give credit to persons whose names have been turned in to the secretary as delinquents. A fine of \$2.50 is assessed to merchants who do so.

R. S. Tobin, Sec.

A Beebe Visitor.

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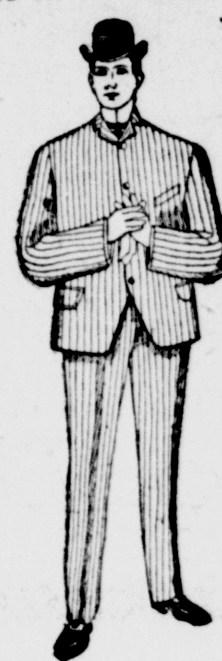
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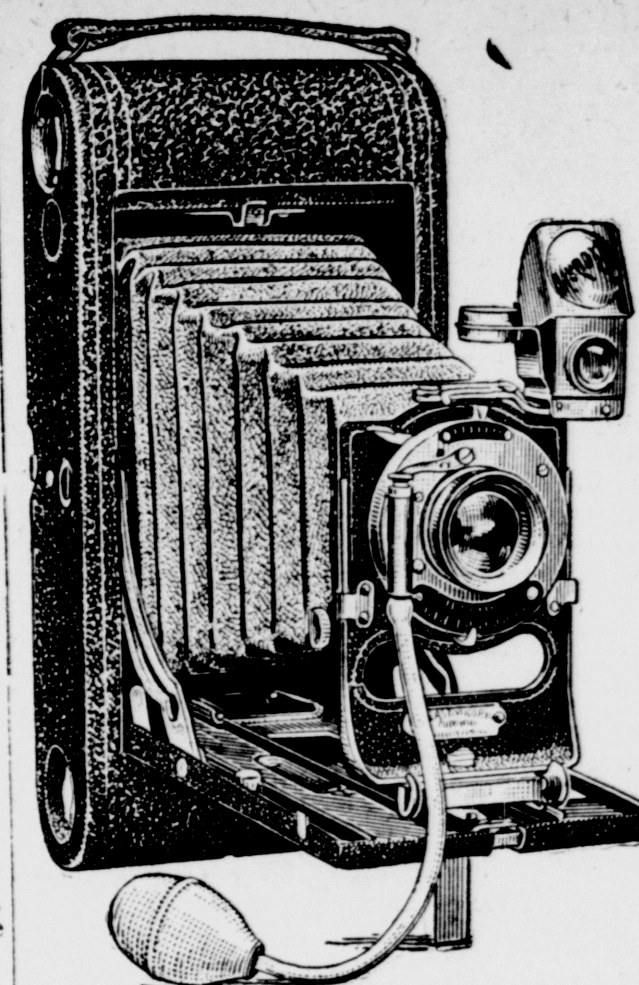
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If you have something to sell, advertise it in the Daily News.

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The twelve men were promptly discharged by Justice Fitzgerald who declared that he too, believed their task hopeless.

Thaw was remanded to the Tombs without bail to await a second trial on a charge of having murdered Stanford White, the noted architect.

When this new trial will take place no one connected with the case could tonight express an opinion. District

Attorney Jerome declared that there were many other persons accused of homicide awaiting trial and that Thaw would have to take his turn. As to a possible change of venue the district attorney and counsel for Thaw both declared they would make no such move.

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county committee. At the hour of going to press the committeemen are still busily engaged in this work, which presents some perplexities.

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People of Stonewall and vicinity are preparing for a mammoth picnic May 8th at the big steel bridge recently completed across Boggy, two miles south of Stonewall. It will be in the nature of a celebration of the structure's completion. Arrangements are in progress to entertain everybody and the candidates.

If you have something to sell. Advertise it in the Daily News.

THAW JURY DISCHARGED; HOPELESSLY HUNG 7 TO 5

New York, April 12.—Hopelessly divided—seven for a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree and five for acquittal on the ground of insanity—the jury which since Jan. 23 has been trying Harry K. Thaw reported today after forty-seven hours and eight minutes of deliberation that it could not possibly agree.

The twelve men were promptly discharged by Justice Fitzgerald, who declared that he, too, believed their task hopeless.

Thaw was remanded to the Tombs without bail to await a second trial on a charge of having murdered Stanford White, the noted architect.

When this new trial will take place no one connected with the case could tonight express an opinion. District

Attorney Jerome declared that there were many other persons accused of homicide awaiting trial and that Thaw would have to take his turn. As to a possible change of venue the district attorney and counsel for Thaw both declared they would make no such move.

Thaw's attorneys will have a conference tomorrow with the prisoner to decide upon their next step. They may ask an early application for bail. Mr. Jerome said that he will strenuously oppose it. He added that as seven of the jurors had voted for "guilty" his opposition probably would be successful. In that event Thaw has another long summer before him in the city prison, for his case on the already crowded criminal calendar can not possibly be reached until fall.

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FURNITURE AND COFFINS

Something Needed Portland Park Addition

Lots near the big Cement Plant to accommodate the hundreds of laborers to be employed in this great industry. This need has been met by laying out the Portland Park Addition just west of the cement plant. Lots are 30 feet by 140, with 60-foot streets and 20-foot alleys. Prices of lots are from \$20 to \$30. Terms, \$5 down and \$2 per month. A large reservoir is to be built on the north side by the cement company which will afford boating and fishing.

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Ada Title and Trust Co.

Electricity as a Deadener.

It would be a foolish man who should run on ahead of present development in electricity and plant a stake to mark the limit of its growth. Before he had swung his maul a score of times, progress would have passed him and he would be erecting a signpost instead of a barrier. Electricity sprouts in this seven-league-boots way because so many minds are interested in it. The men of brains, whatever their calling, recognize its potentialities and work toward them. It is used in commerce and manufactures quite as much as in science. Domestic life claims it as a powerful and willing slave, it aids the arts in many ways, and medicine has found good in it. Dr. Stephen Ledue, a leading physician of Paris, has whittled down the destructive properties of electrocution to beneficent powers. He has made the death-chair over into an operating table for the surgeon. He destroys sensibility all over the body by sending a mild alternating current of electricity through the brain. In this way the patient loses consciousness but it is not the old stupor of anesthetics. There is no nausea, languor or weakness and absolutely no effect on the heart. The patient becomes conscious the moment the current is shut off and with a decidedly invigorated sensation. This will be as great a boon to the doctors as to the patient, says the Cleveland Leader. It will, or at least should, do away with the old apologetic remark that the operation was a success but the patient didn't rally, as if the mere technical part of carving a man up with butcher-like skill was the end of the surgeon's duty.

Women and Smoke.

A young Chicago woman aspires to be a smoke inspector. She says the smoke nuisance is serious, and she does not see why women should not be useful in checking it. The pay does not attract her, but the opportunity to do good. If she can pass a civil service examination, and there is no reason to doubt her ability, there will be no legal obstacle in the way of her appointment. The average woman as smoke inspector would put into her work a degree of devotion and zeal which a man is incapable of, says the Chicago Tribune. Where men dislike smoke, women hate it. It dirties their clothes. It smuts their faces. It nullifies the labor of the washer woman. It is abhorrent to them in a hundred different ways. An inspector of any kind who is not full of enthusiasm for his work, and who goes on with it merely to draw his monthly pay, never accomplishes much. It is because women have enthusiasm that they make the best kind of inspectors in certain fields of labor. They are able to see shortcomings to which the average man is blind.

A dozen of more women's colleges, including Barnard, Wellesley, Vassar and Bryn Mawr, have formed an inter-collegiate association of students whose purpose it is to establish student government instead of faculty control in all the institutions represented. Barnard is already practicing this system and students have almost everything under their own charge except instruction. The plan is said to be a great success, the girls being more observant of rules and regulations made by the faculty. And yet conservative folk will continue to feel some preference for the old plan of putting experienced and mature persons in authority over these young women.

Whales are considerably in evidence off late. A number have been caught off the Long Island coast, and now comes announcement of the finding of one of the sperm variety, on the sandy shore of Florida. In the latter case the cetacean has produced many barrels of oil, and the ambergris contained in the carcass will bring a small fortune to the finders. A few more experiences like this may lead to a marked revival in the whale hunting industry.

A Connecticut bank failed a few days ago, and the bank examiner has just made the discovery that it did business in an irregular manner. Perhaps the examiner fancies that his report will be comforting to the people who would have taken their money out if they could have been apprised of the bank's unsoundness before the collapse came.

Admiral Nebotgatoff should be thankful that he has been sentenced to serve ten years in a fortress for his failure to properly give battle to the Japanese. He might have been sentenced to serve as chief of police in Moscow or Warsaw.

President Roosevelt, by a proclamation just issued, has added 17,000,000 acres of forest lands to the reserves of the United States. Thirty-two forest reservations are created or increased in area by this proclamation.

CURIOUS COIN TRICKS.

Balancing a Fifty-Cent Piece Upon Rim of Glass.

It would appear to be very difficult to balance a 50-cent piece by its edge on the rim of a wine glass, but no great difficulty will be experienced if the following instructions are faithfully observed.

Take two ordinary small dinner-forks, and between the central prongs of each push in the half dollar, at the same time adjusting the forks so that the prongs lie one over the other.



Balancing Coin on Edge of Glass, now gently place the edge of the coin on the rim of the glass; the exact position will require a little searching for, but it is by no means difficult to find. When correctly placed, the coin will be in such a condition of stable equilibrium as to permit of being rocked up and down with absolute freedom. The drawing (Fig. 1) shows clearly the position in which the forks and coin are to be placed.

Another neat little feat of dexterity, and one by no means so difficult as it appears, says Montreal Herald, consists in placing a roulette of coins on the elbow, and by a quick movement catching them in the hand.

The forearm and hand are to be placed in a horizontal position with the coins on the upper aspect of the elbow, as depicted in Fig. 2. It will be noticed on looking carefully at this that the palm of the hand is uppermost. The hand is now swiftly brought down, describing in its course a circle, and, without any conscious effort to 'make for' the coins direct, they will be found to strike against the palm in its descent, and, of course, are tightly gripped. The simplicity of the trick turns on the fact that when the hand is brought down in the manner indicated, it describes an arc which cuts through the point at



Catching Coin from Elbow.

which the elbow was situated; this is the prime reason why no conscious attempt at making for the coins need be made.

Papa Must Wait.

Little Dorothy was an only child and, like many another, her one wish was for a baby brother or sister. One day when she had asked her papa to get her one he had laughingly replied that it was too expensive and he could not afford it.

Not long after this Dorothy and her papa were taken by a friend for an automobile ride. The friend talked enthusiastically upon the pleasures of motoring, urging Dorothy's father to buy an auto. Dorothy listened in silence for awhile, then broke out excitedly with:

"No, Mr. L., papa can't go to any more expense till he buys me a new baby brother."

Crow Serves as Alarm Clock.

Winsted, Conn.—A crow has acted as an alarm clock for John Babcock of Deep River for two years. Every morning at daylight it caws loudly and keeps the noise up until John appears.

Then, after feeding it flies away and evidently spends its days in the woods. The bird seems to bear a charmed life, as when it first began to make its visits Charles A. Kirkland, who then lived next door, took several shots at it, but fortunately missed it.

Now the crow is so well known that the person who attempted to shoot it would get himself in a lot of trouble.

It Looked Small to Him.

There was a small Scotch boy who had the quality of astuteness highly developed. The boy's grandmother, says the Liverpool Post, was packing his luncheon for him to take to school. Suddenly, looking up into the old lady's face, he said:

"Grandmother, do yer specs magnify?"

"A little, my child," she answered. "Aweel, then," said the boy, "I would just like it if ye would take them off when ye're packing my luncheon."

A Farmer's Strange Story.

A farmer of Caroline county, Va., Mr. O. D. Pitts, tells a very strange story. While plowing with a pair of horses on his farm, he turned up a nest containing what he supposed to be turtle eggs. He put them in his pocket to carry them home. Some time later, when he took up his coat, he felt something moving, and upon investigation found that the eggs had hatched and his pocket was full of young snakes.

GREAT RELIGIOUS REVIVAL ON ALL OVER THE WORLD

Beyond Precedent

HARVEST OF CONVERTS LARGER THAN EVER KNOWN.

Historic Movement of 1857 Far Outstripped in Intensity and Fervor—Starting with the Work of Torrey and Alexander in Australia Four Years Ago It Has Spread to All Civilized Countries—What the Evangelists Say of It.

Chicago.—The greatest religious revival of modern times is in progress. Throughout the United States the manifestations of enthusiasm have been no more marked than in foreign countries. The movement seems to be world-wide. China and India are sending to this country most remarkable reports of the religious awakening in those countries. Everywhere the revival spirit is marked beyond all precedent.

In the central part of the United States, with Chicago as the focal point, the series of "old-time" religious meetings and the harvest of converts have been the most notable in the history of the country since 1857.

In that year occurred a religious movement that has become historic by virtue of its intensity and scope. Considered in proportion to population then and now, the movement of 1857 probably was as important as the one



Dr. R. A. Torrey.

now in progress. Taken without reference to population, the movement of 50 years ago was but as a drop in a bucket compared with the scope of the revival movement that is abroad to-day.

The history of religious movements of this kind shows that they almost invariably have followed on the heels of or have occurred during periods of deep industrial distress. In the United States this has been particularly true.

The religious outbreak of 1857 apparently had its origin in the distress of the people, and thousands of those who had suffered financial losses in material things flocked to the churches to pray for relief from their troubles. Monetary disaster rendered the people susceptible to religious influences, just as misfortune in individual cases is a potent factor in the introspection that often leads to the acceptance of religion. The great revival of the late '70s appears to have had its origin in a similar national condition. The historic religious movement led by the late Dwight L. Moody in Chicago and running synchronous to the world's fair took place when the country was entering the throes of one of the most disastrous industrial panics in its history. The same is true of other nations.

In this respect the present religious movement differs from nearly all others. There have been ten years of unprecedented prosperity. In material things the country and the people as individuals have been and are more prosperous than ever before. Yet, contrary to history, in the midst of this marvelous prosperity there arises and is maintained for at least four years a constantly growing tide of religious enthusiasm. The men guiding the movement say that they see no evidence of the approach of the end of the revival spirit. The number of converts is increasing daily, more men are going into the evangelistic work, and everywhere preparations are being made for wider activities in the revival movement.

Revival Began in Australia.

The current religious enthusiasm, in its world-wide sense, dates from the work of Torrey and Alexander in Australia four years ago. On this Australian tour these evangelists made 10,000 converts in a month and thousands upon thousands followed the first great crowd of converts in their acceptance of religion. The fire thus kindled spread throughout New Zealand and Australasia. It has continued to burn steadily in that part of the world, flaming all the time and breaking out fiercely at intervals. The men who started it went to London and the results of their work there are well remembered. England, Scotland and Ireland caught the contagion. The famous Torrey and Alexander meeting at Cardiff, Wales, started the

Welsh revival, which was one of the most amazing religious manifestations of either ancient or modern times. Since that time the movement has gone on as a rising tide.

New England in a Fever.

The present revival spirit in this country appeared in its most distinct form soon after the wonderful successes of Torrey and Alexander in England. New England, cold temperamentally and rock-bound religiously, cast off its traditional reserve and laid itself open to the influences of the "old-time" religion. In Boston the evangelistic work under Rev. A. C. Dixon and others resulted in an unprecedented number of conversions. All over Canada the same was true. A four weeks' campaign in Toronto by Torrey and Alexander resulted in 4,300 conversions.

Philadelphia next was attacked by the evangelists, and the enthusiasm whipped to a high pitch, a small army of men, women and children professing conversion. Every section of the country, outside possibly of the Pacific coast, has fallen under the wave of religious enthusiasm.

Felt Throughout the West.

The revival in the middle west cannot properly be said to have spread from Chicago, because the religious fervor in this part of the United States has been as much in evidence in the cities surrounding Chicago for as long as it has been in the city. The proportion of converts to population in the smaller cities and towns also has been much greater than in Chicago for obvious reasons.

The exact number of converts in Chicago within the last six months is not obtainable, for the reason there have been so many individual revival movements in Chicago without any central controlling organization whose business it is to keep track of the converts, each church doing this work for itself. The principal evangelists working in this city estimate the number to date at from 4,000 to 5,000. Besides these, many "backsliders" have been reclaimed and much interest has been aroused among persons who have not affiliated themselves with any church.

Enthusiasm in England.

In England in the Established church the religious enthusiasm within the last year has been unprecedented, and evangelistic work of wide scope is being carried on in much the same manner as the revival work is being done in the United States.

From the headquarters of the Salvation Army there come reports of extraordinary interest in the work of that remarkable organization and of an unusually large number of "saved." The work of the army, however, following the great humanitarian dictum of Gen. Booth that "we should be willing to do as much for a man as for a horse," partakes in its daily manifestation much of the character of a revival and the difference therefore is not so noticeable. As an army officer said: "We are whooping 'er up all the time, anyway. With us it's always revival time."

Standing out as the chief feature of the present movement is the blotting out of sectarian lines in the evangelistic work. The men who have met with the greatest success are those who have paid no attention to either sectarianism or denominationalism.



Wm. A. Sunday.

ism. Some of the most effective evangelists in the field decline even to tell their audiences what church they are formally affiliated with. In most cases this is known, but doctrinal prejudices and preferences are being kept in the background as never before.

This elimination of sectarianism in the evangelistic movement may be either cause or effect—even the evangelists differ on this point. Some say that the movement is unprecedentedly strong because those lines are being ignored, while others protest that they are being ignored because the general revival spirit is so strong.

What the Evangelists Say.

If you ask one of the evangelists who are making big successes in the revival field for the cause of the present movement he will tell you that it is answer to prayer. This is what Rev. A. C. Dixon said:

"We who believe in the efficacy of prayer believe that God is answering the petitions that have been going up for ten years all over the earth for a world-wide revival of religion. Although the non-church population does not know it, the fact is that Christians for a decade have prayed persistently, earnestly and confidently for just such a movement as is now in progress. We are still praying and the movement is increasing. How much stronger it will get only God knows. "But I realize this answer will not

satisfy those who do not believe in prayer. The unchurched, while forced by what they see to admit the strength and scope of the present revival movement, demand other reasons for its existence. And there probably are other reasons. History shows us that faith comes in waves. For some years we have had the higher criticism, and educational force destructive of faith in the Bible. Dr. Briggs in the east, Dr. Harper of the University of Chicago in the west, the leaders of the Welhausen-Graff school in Germany and many others who have been in the front of the higher criticism movement have done much to destroy faith. But there is a swinging back from this. Darwinism is on the wane. These things seem to come in cycles, but each wave of faith in the Bible that appears is much stronger than its predecessor, and in the end faith must triumph."

Rev. Mr. Sunday's Views.

"Billy" Sunday has some very material reasons for the strength of the present movement. Here they are:

"The plan of gathering together great audiences under one roof is one source of success. There is enthusi-



"Gypsy" Smith.

asm in numbers. Formerly they tried to convert a town by holding revival meetings in a church that would not seat one-fifth of the population. Most of the successful revivalists insist nowadays on the erection of a tabernacle big enough to hold thousands. If there is no such building already in the town, and people now are so prosperous that they freely give money for this purpose where they formerly would not.

"But back of it all is prayer. I scoffers deny this, but if a large number of scoffers were to ask a human power to give them a certain thing in a certain way at a certain time and they received this thing they would be pretty likely to think it came from the power they petitioned for it, even if they could not actually see it given."

SHEEP DOGS KNOW A LOT.

Have Repeatedly Given Proof of Remarkable Intelligence.

What a herd dog of 200 to 300 sheep, and to know them both by sight and smell. This he does thoroughly. When Watterson was running sheep on the plains he had a young collie not yet put to the herd, but kept about the pumping plant, says a writer in Harper's Magazine. As the sheep came in by hundreds to the troughs, the dog grew so as to know them that when they had picked up a stray from another band he discovered it from afar off, and, darting as a hornet, nipping and yelping, parted it out from the band. At the time no mere man would have pretended, without the aid of the brand, to recognize any of the thousands that bore it.

How long recollection stays by the dog is not certain, but at least a twelve-month, as was proved to Filon Girard after he had lost a third of his band when the Santa Anna came roaring up Lone Pine with a cloud of saffron-colored dust on its wings. After shearing of next year, passing close to another band, Filon's dogs set themselves unbidden to routing out of it, and rounding with their own, nearly 20 head, which the herder, being an honest man, freely admitted he had picked up on the mesa following after Filon the spring before.

Quick to know the wolf and undimable members of a flock, the wise collie is not sparing of bites, and, following after a stubborn stray, will often throw it and stand guard until help arrives or the sheep shows a better mind. But the herder who has a dog trained at the difficult work of herding sheep through the chutes and runways into boats and cars for transportation is the fortunate fellow.

There was Pete's dog, Bourdalous, that, at the Stockton landing, with no assistance, put 800 wild sheep from the highlands on the boat in eight minutes, by running along the backs of the flock until he had picked out the stubborn or stupid leaders that caused the sheep to jam in the runway, and, by sharp bites, set them forward, himself treading the backs of the racing flock, like the premiere equestrienne of the circus, which all the men of the shipping cheered to see.

Uplift Movement in Alabama.

In Alabama Miss Latona Burns has been appointed by the board of education to organize a concerted movement for the improvement of the public schools of the state. She will be sent into every city and town in Alabama to form school improvement associations and to try and awaken an active interest in public education in the public officials and in mothers and fathers as well.

HAVE LOST CUNNING

COUNTERFEITERS TURNING OUT NO GOOD WORK.

For Many Years There Have No Spurious Banknotes to Worry the Money World—The "Monroe Hundred."

There is one lost art among criminals, one trade which United States secret service men have seemingly wiped out to the very last man. This is the art of counterfeiting currency, says the Kansas City Star. Kansas City bank officials say that for eight years not one spurious banknote worthy of passing comment has been handed in the money world. They declare that the day of successful counterfeiting has come to an end.

"Not a banknote which fools the experts is on the market," said E. F. Swinney, president of the First national bank. "There is counterfeit currency, plenty of it," he said, "but it's a kind detected almost at a glance. Inspection of it quickly reveals the flaws. Usually the work is clumsy. But not since the notorious gang in Philadelphia which made the famous 'Monroe hundred' was wiped out has there been a really clever counterfeit-er at work. At least, we have no record of any."

The "Monroe hundred" was a \$100 silver certificate with the face of President Monroe stamped upon it. It was of a series of 1901, check letter D, Tillman register, Morgan treasurer. It was an absolutely perfect counterfeit. Experts in the treasury department were fooled by it. The notes became so numerous and were accepted so extensively that the government called in its entire issue of the bill, amounting to several million dollars. Even now a "Monroe hundred" is occasionally picked up and is almost impossible to tell whether it is genuine or not.

The only difference between the genuine bill and the counterfeit was in the shape of the figures 3 and 4 and the length of the bill. In the figure 3 the lower loop did not extend up so far toward the center of the figure as it should have extended. In the figure 4 the space between the base and the center cross line was narrower than it should have been. The false bill was one-sixteenth of an inch shorter than the genuine.

"Such irregularities would easily pass the eye of an expert," Mr. Swinney said. "Of course, if a genuine bill was laid before you, and you had the opportunity to compare the two, after some study the defects could be noted. But think of the number of money handlers who had the counterfeit bill who had no opportunity for such comparison."

"The gang which made the 'Monroe hundred' was arrested in Philadelphia in 1899. The plates which printed the bills were recovered and the counterfeiters sentenced to long terms in prison."

"With the end of that gang," Mr. Swinney said, "there seems to have been an end of successful counterfeiting. Not since 1899 has the government been forced to recall any currency issue. Crooks have learned that to make spurious currency which will pass inspection is a hard task. And they have learned that the penalty Uncle Sam makes them pay when detected is heavy."

Donation Carnegie Refused.

Appropos of Mr. Carnegie's latest gift, an editor, taking out his notebook, said the other day:

"I can tell you of a gift of \$150 that Mr. Carnegie once refused to give. Let me read you the letter asking for this gift."

With a laugh he read: "Dear Mr. Carnegie—Understanding that you are blessed at present with an unusual surplus of income, and knowing well your generous spirit and desire to do good to those who will help themselves, I want to ask you to make me a contribution of \$150."

"When I was a young man my mother gave me a hymnbook, which I faithfully used. It is now, thanks to my efforts, worn out, and I think it should be replaced, and you are the man to do this."

"Appreciating to the full the generous deeds that have made your name illustrious in this and other countries, and believing that in making me this donation you will be carrying on the spirit of your work, I am, yours faithfully, "Mark Twain."

"P. S.—Don't send the hymnbook; send the \$150."

Never Exaggerates It.

"Of course, she doesn't like discuss about ages."

"No; usually when she's questioned about how she just says nothing but lies low."

"Yes, or if she says anything she lies low."—Philadelphia Press.

Bright Query.

"There goes Marryat's widow," remarked Newitt.

"Yes," replied Dumley, "but he was married twice, you know."

"Of course. What of that?"

"Well, is she his first or second widow?"

Value of the Classic Drama.

Dramatist—Do you believe in bringing out the classics?

Theater Manager—Certainly, at intervals. There is nothing like a classic to make an audience appreciate a second-class production that follows.

SECRETS OF HIDDEN DEN OF LUXURY AND VICE

**Carefully Hidden Studio in New York
Where Stanford White Entertained
Men of His Stripe in Ways That
Rivalled Days of Fabled Eastern
Luxury.**

**Was House Within a House Where
the Light of Day Never Was Al-
lowed to Penetrate---Only by Se-
cret Passages Could Entrance Be
Gained.**

New York. — Ever since Evelyn Nesbit Thaw told her story on the witness stand so that all men might judge whether its telling were not enough to turn a husband mad—even before that, ever since the pistol shot that killed Stanford White last June let loose on the ears of men countless stories of revel and debauch until only legends of shameful ghosts seemed left to guard the memory of the dead architect, curiosity has been drawn irresistibly to White's Twenty-fourth street studio. It is the place which, it half the stories told were true, White had dedicated to that part of his life which ultimately led him to his death—the place where he played Hyde with a few depraved companions while to all the rest of the world he was a distinguished and an envied Jekyll, a place which was a heaven of beauty, and also, according to report, a hell of sin.

No other spot in New York has so stirred the imaginations of thousands. No other spot has been at once such a commonplace of gossip and yet so utterly unknown, such a closed mystery to all. And today, stripped of much of its mystery and of all the glamour and lure of its wonderful treasures of art, with only the dull outer walls left to give mute testimony to the reality of the wild scenes they once sheltered, it remains with out a parallel in the history of this or any other modern city.

Truly Well Concealed.

It is not just a suite of rooms or one or more floors of a house cleverly protected from the observation or intrusion of other tenants. Still less is it an ordinary house, the windows of which, however thickly curtained and screened, must still look down on passers-by in the street below and be exposed in turn to the curious gaze of any and all who cared to raise their heads.

"You may have trouble to find this place," wrote Harry Thaw when he first appealed to Anthony Comstock and the Society for the Suppression of Vice to put a stop to the infamous

other men he would find no hint to lead him to that of Stanford White. That gilded temple of the senses stands apart, a house almost within a house, inclosed within two rows of other houses with blank walls on all sides to shut it off from all view and observation. It was a place used only in the night time and, with no need for the light of day, ordinary windows and their outlook had no place in the designer's plan. Only a secret passage, cunningly walled off in the main house fronting on Twenty-fourth street, could it be reached, and only through a secret door which slid open at the touch of a hidden spring could friend or visitor enter that passage.

Belongs to Other Days.

The studio is situated in the small open court that lies between the rear of the houses on Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets. As it stands today, dismantled and untenanted, it would make an ideal haunt for kidnapers or counterfeiters, or any of the other desperate plotters who figure so largely in romantic novels, and for this reason, even in its present, its most commonplace aspect, it seems to belong to medieval days, an age younger by centuries than busy, practical, modern New York. But as it was when Stanford White was the presiding genius there, lavishing all the brilliancy of his perverted fancy on nightly entertainments so bizarre that no room was so jaded that he did not eagerly seek an invitation to attend, it belonged to the days of fabled eastern luxury and splendor, the days of the Arabian Nights, with all their wizardry of imprisoned genii, enchanted palaces and young girls beautiful as the dawn.

And the site for this lordly pleasure house, this secret haunt where the master might hold his visitor prisoner for hours or days, this dream house of art and abandon, of refinement and revelry, was chosen, as if in deliberate joy in the contrast, in the heart of the most respectable and commonplace surroundings.

"I sat up in the bed and started to

mult of Twenty-third street, with its indolent or hurrying shoppers and their restless humors of the cheapjack toys along the sidewalk, easily reaches the ear. On the Twenty-fourth street side the eyes see only an everyday row of monotonous looking houses, no uglier or shabbier than a hundred rows exactly like them from which the bright tide of fashion has drifted away forever. If an artist wished to portray a thoroughly commonplace street, without a hint of romance or a touch to fire the imagination, he could find no better scene. And it was just this setting of almost ostentatious respectability, of the staidest and least inviting propriety, that Stanford White chose to use as a curtain behind which he could set his private stage as he willed, could intoxicate himself with a riotous luxury of sensual beauty and extravagant display and teach their sorry parts to the puppets he introduced there without fear of interruption or discovery. There vice, decked in her bravest purple and crimson, mocked at the prim gray form of virtue's gown that sheltered her and let her live. It was as if a dancing hall from Paris should be found hidden among the elms in the churchyard of some little New England village.

Entrance to the Gilded Den.

Here is Evelyn Thaw's description of her first visit to the place: "We stopped at a dingy lodging house and, as we passed inside, the

worked with the architect for a solid week on the fairy-tale scheme. "It cannot be done," was his own appalled objection when the plan first was unfolded. "We will do it," said Stanford White; and no conception proved too novel, no price too high, for his fancy and genius to overcome. It was in this room that the great white bear-skin was spread on which Evelyn Nesbit posed for some of her best known pictures, and here were gorgeous rose Du Barry portieres, curiously carved pieces of teakwood and Japanese furniture, rare lace curtains, screens inlaid with ivory, and huge old cedar chests carved deep with elephant's heads, with ivory tusks set in. Priceless rugs were on the floor, from Khorassan and Serreband, from Bokhara and Tabriz, and on the walls were paintings by Rubens and Gerome and Millais and Bourguignon.

White's Most Private Studio.

On the floor above was a smaller studio, fitted up with the same royal magnificence. This was the room with the red velvet swing and the big Japanese umbrella in the ceiling through which the feet of the swifter crashed when strong arms pushed her high. Here White had his ordinary living rooms, bedrooms and dressing-rooms. On the floor above, reached by a tiny back stairway, of which few indeed knew the secret, was a studio—almost a boudoir—smaller and damtier still. Back of this, separated by curtains of heavy gold-embroidered tapestries, was the



door opened. No one touched it, but it opened of itself. We went through that door and along a passage and up some steps, and then another door opened in the same way. We went up some more steps and when we were half way up I stopped and asked where we were going, and a voice called down, but I could not see who it was. Then another voice called, a man's and we went on up the stairs till we came into a room magnificently furnished with velvets and satins, with all kinds of beautiful things standing around and paintings on the walls and interesting cabinets and bronzes and marble statuettes and shaded lights.

There are three floors to the studio, not including a kind of basement, which was given over entirely to the kitchen, pantries and servants' quarters, and a peculiar feature of the whole building is the fact that instead of one main staircase running straight up through the house, the different floors are reached by an arrangement of separate staircases, each of which gives access only to one particular floor or set of rooms. Thus White's friends passed up a staircase which gave them no hint that there were any rooms on the basement floor at all, and, by closing a door here and opening another there—all the doors being operated by a system of secret springs, which could be worked from key-boards on each floor known practically to White alone—the visitor could be led straight to any part of the house White wished without being taken through any other part. But for general purposes it was the first floor—the one above the basement—that was used as the main reception room and for the big supper parties, like that in which "the Pie Girl" figured.

Here Luxury Unrestrained.

Here the artist was in his own kingdom; there was luxury unrestrained. There were glowing antiques in bronze and marble; tapestries in wonderful, subdued tones, softened by centuries; one White had pillaged himself from an Italian shrine by paying an enormous bribe to the gray-haired priest who burned candles before it. Jeweled chandeliers hung from the painted ceiling—a wild riot of color blended with consummate art—and electrical devices that startled and enchanted and charmed the eye. The electrician who furnished the house tells how he

exquisitely furnished little bedroom where, they tell, champagne was poured for these whom the king of this palace of art most delighted to honor with ruin.

Few Knew of the Place.

Very few persons ever dreamed of the existence of this Twenty-fourth street "studio." Some of these were workmen, who constructed it under the architect's own direction; others, those in his service, who from time to time would carry there his choicest art treasures. One at least a well-known fire insurance man, must have known it for the home and its contents were insured for thousands of dollars.

Others who entered there were clubmen, like himself, Apostles of the Unusual, ever seeking a new sensation, young women of pleasure flattered by the notice of one in the front ranks of wealth and fashion, little "country mice," like 16-year-old Evelyn Nesbit, whose fresh beauty gratified him in the splendid setting provided and whose senses were immediately dazzled by the unwanted, oriental luxury. Most of the visits there were made at night. Many of the guests would have been unable afterward to find their way home. Enough, it was Stanford White's domain, held beneath the spell of his genius. How he first conceived it, bought it, built it, threw his thick mantle of secrecy over it, nobody knew.

WINS LAETARE MEDAL

COVETED HONOR GOES TO TRAIN- ED NEWSPAPER WOMAN.

Miss Catherine E. Conway, Editor of the Boston Pilot, Recognized for Distinguished Services by Catholic University.

Notre Dame, Ind.—Katherine Eleanor Conway, editor of the Boston Pilot, has been selected as the recipient of the Laetare medal for 1907. The medal is bestowed annually by the University of Notre Dame on some member of the Catholic laity in the United States distinguished for service to religion, art, science or philanthropy, and many men and women prominently before the public have been honored with this mark of the esteem of Notre Dame. Miss Conway is the fourth woman to receive the honor.

Katherine Eleanor Conway was born in Rochester, N. Y., and received her education at the Convent of the Sacred Heart in that city and at St. Mary's academy, Buffalo. She is now editor of the Boston Pilot, a newspaper that has been rendered famous by the editorial work of John Hoyle O'Reilly and James Jeffrey Roche. Miss Conway served a long apprenticeship as assistant to both these men, and when Roche was made consul to Genoa two years ago Miss Conway succeeded to the editorial chair of the Pilot. Her newspaper experience extends over 27 years and during that time she has found time to produce a large body of more permanent literature. She is the author of "On the Sunrise Slope," poems; "Watchwords from John Hoyle O'Reilly," "A Dream of Lilies," poems; "A Lady and Her Letters," "Making Friends and Keeping Them," "Questions of Honor," "Bettering Ourselves," "New Footprints in Well-Trodden Ways," "The Way of the World and Other Ways," "Laro's Maples," and, with Clara Erskine Clement, "Christian Symbols and Stories of the Saints." Miss Conway is also a frequent contributor to the general magazines and to literary journals.

In 1883 the faculty of the University of Notre Dame determined to choose each year from the ranks of the Catholic laity of the United States a man or a woman conspicuous for furthering the interests of morality, education and citizenship and to confer on that person a tangible mark of honor that will bear witness to the approbation and sympathy of Notre Dame. This unique expression of esteem takes the form of the Laetare medal. The medal receives its name from the day on which it is bestowed, Laetare Sunday, the fourth Sunday in Lent.

The day takes its name because the introit of the mass for that day begins with the word "Laetare," which means "rejoice."

The bar from which the disk is suspended is lettered "Laetare Medal." The face of the disk bears the inscription "Magna est Veritas et Prevalebit." "Truth is mighty and shall prevail." The reverse has the name of the university and the recipient. The address presented with the medal is printed and printed on silk and sets forth in each instance the special reasons influencing its bestowal.

Dr. John Gilmary Shea, historian, was the first on whom the medal was conferred. The list of subse-



KATHERINE ELEANOR CONWAY.
(Presented with Laetare Medal by Notre Dame University.)

quent names bears some of the most prominent Catholic laity in the United States. Since 1883, the year in which Dr. Shea was the recipient, the following men and women have received the honor in the order named:

Patrick J. Kelley, architect; Eliza Alton Starr, art critic; Gen. John Newton, civil engineer; Patrick V. Hickey, editor; Anna Hanson Dorsey, novelist; William J. Onahan, publicist; Daniel Dougherty, orator; Maj. Henry W. E. Bronson, soldier and scholar; Patrick Donahue, editor; Augustin Daly, theatrical manager; Gen. William S. Rosencrans, soldier; Anna T. Sadler, author; Dr. Thomas A. Emmet, physician; Timothy E. Howard, jurist; John Creighton, philanthropist; William Bourke Cockran, lawyer and orator; Dr. John Benjamin Murphy, surgeon; Charles Jerome Bonaparte, lawyer and statesman; Richard C. Kereps, jurist; Thomas E. Fitzpatrick, financier; Francis J. Quinlan, surgeon.

DANCED WITH POET IN 1832.

Longfellow was a Guest at Wedding of Portland's Oldest Woman.

Portland, Me.—Mrs. Phineas F. Varnum, the oldest woman in Portland and a contemporary of the poet, Henry W. Longfellow, with whom she danced



Mrs. Phineas F. Varnum.

at her wedding in 1832, the other day celebrated the ninety-seventh anniversary of her birth.

Except for a slight lameness as the result of rheumatism, Mrs. Varnum is in remarkably good health and retains

a wonderful command of her faculties. She reads daily without the aid of glasses and is at present engaged in completing a piece of embroidery which involves much fine work.

On Washington's birthday Mrs. Varnum showed unusual activity. She arose early and awoke the other members of the household with a loud blast from a tin horn which she annually brings forth on the day given over to the memory of the Father of His Country, and then before breakfast superintended the draping of a flag in the reception room window, so that it would be plainly visible from the street.

During the day she read a good deal, entertained two callers and continued her embroidery on a tray cloth which is elaborately designed in many colors. Although she always desired the custom, she now takes daily naps in the early part of the afternoon.

Before her marriage Mrs. Varnum was well acquainted with Longfellow. She was the daughter of Elias Thomas and lived in the old Thomas mansion situated on the present site of the Church of the Messiah, within a minute's walk of Longfellow's birthplace. At the time of her wedding reception in 1832, Mr. Longfellow and his brothers and sisters were present and she distinctly remembers dancing with the poet on this occasion.

CROCKER MEMORIAL CHURCH.

Built Mainly of Field Stones After Early Norman Style.

New York.—A memorial church, given by George Crocker to the Episcopal mission of St. John to Ramsey, N. J., in memory of his wife, who died several years ago, has just been completed. The church is designed after the early Norman style, as found in the south of England. It is constructed mainly of field stones, laid with their natural faces exposed, with dressed stone trimmings about the windows, doorways and essential details. On the east facade is the characteristic battlemented tower, with belfry and low spire. The transepts are placed in the chancel, and form the choir and organ chamber, directly back of which is the sanctuary.

The main entrance is in the tower, at the east, opening directly into the nave, which seats, with the choir, 200 persons. The ceiling of the nave shows the wood trusses and urline exposed and finished in Flemish stain. The chancel, which is divided from the nave by a pointed arch, is arranged for a vested choir and for an organ loft. Separated from the chancel by another pointed arch is the sanctuary.

The erection of the church was carried on with the greatest simplicity of detail consistent with thoroughness and beauty. The structure, with the ecclesiastical fittings and pipe organ,



Novel Memorial Church.

cost \$12,000. Mr. Crocker last summer gave a new pipe organ to the church. The Rev. Dr. Jackson of Allendale, N. J., is the priest in charge of the mission.

Millions of Ties Demanded.

Owing to the unusual activity in railroad building, it is estimated that in Ontario alone 4,500,000 ties will be cut this year.



THE MAGNIFICENT STUDIO IN WHICH WHITE DELIGHTED TO PHOTOGRAPH HIS FAVORITES.

practices which he said were carried on within its walls; "you may have trouble to find this place, for it is well concealed."

Well concealed it is, for though a man knew street and number he might search all day and never find it, going on his way at last satisfied the address he had was wrong. No stranger in the street ever saw the windows of Stanford White's studio; a man might pass through the outer door of the house and wander all through the building, and though he would find easy access to the studios or rooms of

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Wm. Hatton of Stonewall, was in Ada over night on his way to Abilene, Texas.



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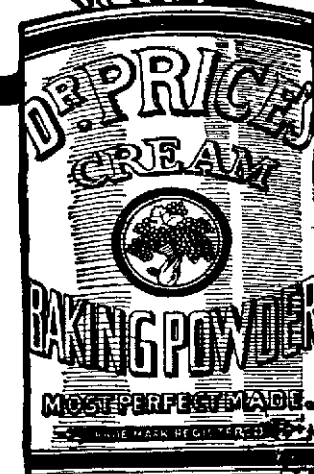
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KNOCKING THE HOME PAPER.

It is no uncommon thing to hear people in a little town speak more or less contemptuously of their little home paper. That's a very easy thing to do. Indeed it's easy to pick flaws in anybody or anything under the sun and there be some who spend their lives largely doing that sort of thing—in most cases useless lives.

These who have the habit of sneering at their home paper tossing it aside with, "There's nothing in it" or some similar comment have perhaps at some time past picked up without pay a New York World or an Oklahoman, or a Dallas News, and haven't any more sense than to expect a metropolitan paper to be published in their little home towns. Were you to put one of these little critical creatures in a city big enough that he could get a big paper, hot from the press every day, the fact is he would get lost and would soon starve to death.

The fact is, any town anywhere gets just as good a home paper as it deserves, and in most cases, better. It's notoriously true that the disposition of newspapers to grow faster than the town and to give too much for the money is a continuing curse to the financial end of the business.

To take an example—closest home—The Ada News is just as big as Ada is, and bigger. Men who come down here from New York, from Oklahoma City, from Dallas—men competent to judge

express surprise at finding a daily paper as big and as good as it is in a city as small as Ada. The News has an abundance of faults, and shortcomings. Some of them can be remedied with small effort, and they are going to be in the near future. But as for making it a big metropolitan affair, so that a subscriber can read a copy clear through a case of slow fever—that's in the very dim and hazy future. In the meantime some of these little folks who have to live in little cities had best weed some of these big metropolitan notions out of their little craniums.

THAT ALLEGED DICKER.

The Ada Democrat editorially this week arraigns severely Judge Baker, of Wewoka, for his argument that Seminole being indisposed to put out any candidate for either state senator or floater this time conceding both to Pontotoc as a compliment to Judge Furman's candidacy for the United States Senate—that therefore it would be the nice and reciprocal thing for Pontotoc to refrain from putting forth a candidate for district judge.

Inasmuch that such a political deal may have been attempted. The Democrat proceeds to denounce any such presumptuous enterprise saying, "We should like to be informed who in these two counties has the right to apportion the offices, anyway."

While The Democrat does not openly accuse any Pontotoc man of dickering with Judge Baker and of trying to "apportion the offices" still it takes two to make a trade, and assuming such a trade attempted, suspicion would naturally attach to one or more of the three candidates from Pontotoc who have announced for the offices of state senator and floater.

Since I am one of those three I feel it my duty to disclaim any part whatever in any such deal. I have not so much as expressed to Judge Baker any sympathy for his candidacy. Neither has anyone else with my authority so much as discussed with him a dickering of that character. The offices belong to the people, are alone theirs to bestow, and whosoever will may run.

OTIS B. WEAVER,
Candidate for State Senator from Pontotoc and Seminole Counties

APPRECIATED.

Weaver's Candidacy for Senate Secures Favorable Press Comment.

Otis Weaver, editor of the Ada News is a candidate for the State Senate. If Weaver's service to the party in the past is rewarded as it deserves he should be elected without opposition and it looks like he will be. That he may be is the wish of the Times.—Mill Creek Times

The latest newspaper man to break into the political arena, is Otis B. Weaver, of Ada, who is running for the state senate from Pontotoc county. Now while we know very little personally, about Mr. Weaver, we've been a pretty close reader of his paper, The News, and from that we can say that he is certainly a Democrat, the kind that spares neither time space or money in the furtherance of his party's interests. His long residence in this country with the ability he has displayed in making a success out of his paper he should be fully equipped to creditably represent his county senatorially. Then besides, we believe that the press boys have, more than any other factor been the means of bringing this country to what it now is and are entitled to a front seat.—Tupelo Times

Sociosis.

The Sorosis Club met with Mrs. Sledge on Thursday. The club is studying Hamlet this year from which its members have realized a great deal of profit and pleasure. There were a number of invited guests, who enjoyed the literary program as well as the social hour. Miss Murray Lucas delighted all with her vocal and instrumental solos. Mrs. Perkins' well rendered reading was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Delicious refreshments were served.

An Ada woman says you should be "ready" to buy a new hat whenever the NEWEST hat is ready for you.

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The firm of Lowden & Shirley has changed hands and will hereafter be known as Shirley, Bailey & Daggs. Good honest merchandise and liberal treatment to all customers will be the business motto of the new firm, and we ask for a share of your patronage. We will always endeavor to treat you right and save you money. New spring goods are here and we ask you to come in and get prices. Watch for further announcements.

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The New M. E. Church, South

Rev. Thomas Lee Rippey, Pastor.

The beautiful new church building, the worshipping place for the First M. E. Church, South, of Ada, the most magnificent and best arranged house of worship of any town of our size in the Territory, has been completed.

The building is located at the corner of 14th and Townsend, and is at the exact geographical center of the city.

This fact is due to the persistent and untiring efforts of Pastor Thos. L. Rippey and the faithful congregation, who have worked in perfect unison and accord with the end ever in view which has just been reached.

The congregation and pastor have contributed most liberally both in labor of construction and in means, and now at the completion of the great work the Church finds itself with only a moderate debt on its building.

The building committee is composed of J. W. Hays, president of the Citizens National Bank; John W. Beard, prominent citizen and capitalist, Frank Jones, cashier of the Ada National Bank, and Thos. L. Rippey, pastor of the church.

The entire cost of the new building, which does not include the lots on which it is located, has been some \$13,000, but the building committee feels that, by careful contracting and proper distribution of contracts, they have fully a \$20,000 structure. The building of the church was not let by a contract in a lump to any one party, but the several different classes of work were let out in separate contracts, with the building committee ever overseeing the work and on the lookout to save the church a few dollars. It was owing to their carefulness that such an amount of money has been saved.

The actual construction was commenced some time in June of last year, and including time lost in waiting for material, bad weather, etc., only about nine months have been consumed in constructing the new home for Ada Methodism.

The building on the first floor is constituted of the large main auditorium, a good sized lecture room, and the pastor's study, aside from several closets and vestibules. The main auditorium and lecture room have a seating capacity of fully 600 people, with room for 800 when chairs are also used.

On the second floor of the building will be found two large parlors to be used as reception rooms, and a kitchen for special occasions, and several closets. The parlors are each 14x20 feet in dimensions, while the kitchen is but little smaller.

There are two stairways leading to the second floor, one at the front of the church and one at the rear.

Oak pews have been installed in the main auditorium and lecture room, and they, like everything else connected with the new building, are of the very best, being neat and comfortable. They are exceptional good seats, are all oak with quarter-sawn treble ends, the heaviest furniture made, and were purchased from H. C. Vaught & Co., of Parker, Ind., one of the largest establishments of its kind in the central west.

One of the most beautiful parts of the church are the handsome cathedral glass windows, 33 in number, bought from the J. J. Wagner Co., of Kansas City, Mo., who deal exclusively in fancy church windows. This firm made an especial effort on the windows for the church, which was, perhaps, due to Bro. Rippey's two visits to their establishment, and informed authorities state that the new windows present the best work of glazing they have ever seen. Several of the windows contain figures of the old biblical characters and others contain those of more modern christian personages. Others contain emblems of christianship, and these are all hand painted work. On the south side of the building is a group of three windows containing the figures of John and Charles Wesley with the apostle John in the center. These windows were presented respectively, one by Evangelist French E. Oliver, one by Pastor Rippey and family, and the third has been put in in loving remembrance of the late Sam P. Jones. The cost of these three windows was \$100 each.

On the north side of the church is one of the three most handsome windows. Its cost was \$250 and was put in for the Sunday school and Women's Home Missionary society in appreciation of the work they have done in the interest of the church. The Sunday school has already raised \$700 and in the next six months will have raised \$300 more, which will nearly pay for the windows. The entire cost of the windows was \$1,100.

Another one of the \$250 windows was put in by the traveling men who make Ada, selling their various lines, and is one of the prettiest things in the whole church. Aside from this it is one of the most appreciated contributions re-

ceived. Their window is located on the front, overlooking the porch.

In the front vestibule is located the window which is a contribution from the Indians of this locality. This \$65 window the Indians are paying for, and seem to take great interest in the work.

On one of the north windows is the inscription "Offering of the Frisco Railroad Boys." This is the window put in by the local Frisco Railroad employees, and cost \$65.

The contractors who did the masonry, as well as the carpenters who handled the wood work, each contributed a window to show their appreciation of the good of the work and their good fellowship toward their employers.

In the new building are also win-

dows dedicated to the Senior and Junior Leagues.

Others are inscribed with emblems and figures of "The Wise Virgin," "Christ Knocking at the Door," "The Good Shepherd," "Moses and the Law," etc.

The new church is carpeted throughout with carpets of Wilton velvet, and their entire cost was \$502.48.

Electric lights were installed and the wiring done by the Ada Electric Co. In the dome of the main auditorium there are a total of eighty-seven lights, and in the entire church there is a total of one hundred and fifteen.

The Woman's Home Mission Society has raised \$1,017 which will pay for the new furniture.

The entire building is heated by furnaces, two large ones being located in

"Builded Better Than They Knew"

When plans to build a church edifice costing upwards of \$13,000 were put before the congregation of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, sometime in the early spring of 1906, there were grave doubts expressed as to the successful outcome of such a venture.

There were a few who could see only failure—they were loath to conceive how such a vast undertaking could be carried to a triumphant end in so small a city as Ada.

"Someone must be first; someone must lead; someone must go out into the wilderness and brave the unseen and search for the unknown." AND THE MAN WHO DARES USUALLY DOES.

How true was this determination during all the many trials and tribulations that befell those who were assigned to the task of carrying this great venture to a successful close.

There were days when progress was slow; difficulties encountered were hard to surmount; the outlook at times seemed dark. At these times, be it said, each worker put forth renewed energy.

Hearts were strong, and willing hands were ever ready to do their calling.

A most generous people responded to the appeals of the earnest workers, and today these men and women and children who so loyally gave time, money and unceasing energy to such a noble cause may appreciate the fulness of their reward in the magnificent structure just completed—a house of worship fitting to the people who have made its building possible.

May 30th, 1906, the readers of the News had their first conception of how the new church building was to appear, through an illustration printed in this paper on that date. This picture, however, did not do the structure justice—the rich beauty and pleasing architecture were all too dimly portrayed.

September 25th, 1906, the cornerstone—a handsome piece of masonry and a perfect cube of white marble—was laid with an impressive ceremony by the Masonic order.

Inscribed on one exposed side:

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And on the other:

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JOHN W. BEARD
T. L. RIPPEY

Hon. Henry M. Furman officiated at these ceremonies and delivered an eloquent address; the pastor outlined the work in a few appropriate remarks, at the conclusion all joining in singing "Nearer My God To Thee."

The work thus begun has resulted in an achievement in which each citizen of Ada feels a personal pride.

Great praise, indeed, is due the loyal pastor, the building committee, and the members of the congregation for their efforts in the erection of this beautiful house of worship.

Truly Ada is a city of Churches.

This is a city of Christian homes.

The stranger within our gates finds himself immediately surrounded by the influences of a strong Christian fellowship—a true expression of sincere love, man for man.

painting, tinting and frescoing done on the building, and a good piece of work it was. It was this that had much to do with the beautiful appearance the church now presents.

The contract for tinning and gutting was also given to a local man, E. P. Meigs, whose work was highly satisfactory in every respect.

J. H. Keene, of Ada, did the plastering and seemed to take especial pride in the work, after considering the cause he was working for. By his pains he has done much towards beautifying the interior of the building.

There are four entrances to the main auditorium of the church, each approached by a vestibule, and aside from this there is an entrance at the rear of the building. This number of entrances will make it possible, on special occasions when great crowds are in attendance at worship, for an easy entrance or exit. The building committee and architect are due praise for this forethought.

Parr & Smith, of South McAlester, two of the very best architects in this part of the country, drew the plans for this commodious building, and are to be commended for their minuteness and correctness. Their aid to the building committee was of vast importance, and the committee were very fortunate in securing such competent men to draw the plans. Working upon suggestions from the architects the committee secured nothing except the very best and most competent workmen and used nothing but the best material. The result of this carefulness is now in evidence—the beautiful new house of worship stands without a peer in the new state, in a town of our size.

We must not fail to make mention of the elegant little study for the pastor provided in the rear of the church building. Well ventilated, with two large windows and nicely furnished, it will be an ideal place for the deliberations of a thoughtful man. An old-fashioned fire place has been provided, and altogether it is a very commodious little room.

The pastor, Rev. Thos. L. Rippey, can not be given too much praise for his interest and perseverance in this big undertaking of building such an elegant new home for the local church. It was he who first conceived the idea, it was he who talked the new church proposition to his congregation and made many followers in the movement, and it was he who in spite of some slight objections at the start has carried a great undertaking to a successful finish. This is the third year of Brother Rippey's pastorate in Ada, and during those three years he has made many warm friends by his learned teachings and by his Christian fellowship. Aside from this there are those who can not but admire him for his sticktoitiveness at church building, which fact has been fully demonstrated to Ada people in the past nine months.

Monday afternoon from three to five o'clock the ladies of the Home Missionary Society will give a China shower at the parlors of the church. This is done for the purpose of furnishing the China closet, so there will be no wanting in this line at social functions when eatables are to be served. A lunch of light refreshments will be served free and the public of Ada is invited to be in attendance.

Brother Rippey announces that the revival at the new church will begin on the first Sunday in June. He will be assisted by his father, Rev. W. M. P. Rippey, of Chickasha.

OPENING SERVICES.

The opening services at the new church will be held tomorrow.

Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. W. F. McMurray, D. D., of Louisville, Ky., secretary of the Methodist church Extension Board is coming for the purpose of opening the church and will speak at both these services.

At three o'clock in the afternoon there will be a service held at the church at which all the pastors of the city and visiting preachers will participate. The public is most earnestly invited to attend any or all of these services.

Full program of tomorrow's opening services will be found on another page.

In Mayor's Court.

John Turner yesterday pleaded guilty to being drunk, and was assessed a fine of \$7.75. This morning young Edmun Hazelwood, living over in Old Town was taken before the Mayor charged with jumping on a train while in motion, and stealing a short ride. His fine was fixed at \$7.75.

There are three prisoners in the city bastille at present, who the city are feeding, and who should be put to work on the streets and made to in that way pay their fines and board bills.

IN THE HOUSEHOLD

MATTERS OF GENERAL SANITARY IMPORTANCE.

Proper Care of the Bathroom and Its Appurtenances—To Clean Incan descent Mantles—Getting Rid of Ants

Besides the stationary belongings to the bathroom—tubs, shower bath, lavatory and closet—there should be a room completely furnished with a soap dish, spongeholder, toilet brush, match box and toilet paper holder. Each one of these articles should be kept in order with exactness and regularity. Plenty of soap and warm water should be used on the enameled work with occasional additions of ammonia. The nickel plating should be rubbed with a soft dry cloth, whitening being used as a polish.

Patent prescriptions for nickel plate should be avoided as they often contain an acid that destroys the metal.

Sanitary plumbing is of such great importance in building a house every item that makes for show should be cut out if it delays the bathroom of the best class of work. Cases of illness are certain to follow cheap plumbing, with doctors' bills to prove a severe punishment for the false economy.

To clean incandescent mantels, first remove the globe, then lift off the remaining parts and place on a table. Take out the chimney, then with a hatpin put into the hole through the cord at the top of the mantle, lift off carefully and place each end of the pin on the side of a tumbler, the mantle hanging down between them. Then pour carefully over the mantle a little kerosene, remove the film and with a soft brush clean the mantle. Then apply a lighted match to burn the spirits off mantle (as when new). Clean the chimney with a little of the spirits left in tumbler, then the globe.

Replace both and you will have a beautiful clean light and your mantle will last at least a few months longer. Be careful not to put a lighted match near the spirits.

In cleaning a stopped waste pipe first remove the waste in the sink. Get three round pieces of leather, each will fit the waste pipe, cut a piece of brown handle cord and one half foot long, and place the three pieces of leather on top of each other. Drive a long nail through the center and in the end of the handle. Insert in the waste pipe and move quickly up and down.

To eliminate ants the surest way is to find the nest and destroy it. Place some grains of coarse granulated sugar where it will be found, six to eight and then watch each loaded boy as it scampers over the line of sugar to the nest. Often the track ends at a well especially if the house is old and it may be necessary to cut away a portion of the surface before the nest can be reached. At other times the line follows make straight line out of doors with a wisdom cue (a line marked). Then if followed they will be seen to enter a hole in the ground. This is the nest. When the nest is in the house, saturate it thoroughly with kerosene or with boiling water, doing the work quickly for the sugar little mites will hurry to get away from the death dealing fluid. Any portion of the wall or of the flooring that has been removed in order to reach the nest can be replaced when the work is accomplished.

TIME TO CLEAN FURS

3-Jan Is the Best Agent That Can Be Employed

Every woman who wears furs should clean them this season no matter how carefully they have been worn for they are surely dirty, though dark skins may not show the soil. Many light ones however give marked evidences now of the need of cleaning.

This cleaning process that restores the luster and life may be easily done at home by rubbing, brain into the fur. For this work buy a pound of brain divide it into two portions, and place one in the oven to heat. Spread the fur on paper on a table and rub it well all over with the cold brain. Then shake out the brain and brush the fur with a soft dry brush. When the rest of the brain feels hot rub it evenly into the fur in the same manner as before. Shake it out and brush it all the fur is quite free from all brain and dust.

Ermine, white fox and other white skins require slightly different treatment. Sawdust and plaster of paris mixed half and half should be heated and rubbed into the skin several times. Then the coat of hair etc. should be put in the sun to air or else hung near a radiator.

A white felt of chignon hat may be much refreshed by rubbing powdered magnesia into it as firmly as one can without injuring the material and then brushing out with a soft brush. Repeat this several times.

Rust Stains

Rust may be removed from nickel plating by covering the spots with mutton tallow and letting it stand for several days. If this treatment is followed by a rubbing with powdered rottenstone and then by a thorough washing with strong ammonia succeeded by clear water and a final polishing with dry whitening, stubborn cases will yield.—Woman's Life

OLD CANNON CAN'T BE BROKEN

Armament of Old Craft Was Made to Last.

A good story is being told at the Mare Island navy yard concerning a San Francisco contractor who bought all the old obsolete cannon which were sold at the local yard some time ago. The cannon were all of the smooth bore kind and in order that they might be easily handled for shipment to the city all sorts of schemes were tried to endeavor to break them with dynamite and blasting powder but they were unsuccessful.

An electric drill machine was even set up at the yards and the cannon were drilled full of holes in order to weaken them for breaking open with wedges but this was also unsuccessful. The cannon were then taken away and the last heard of them they were corralled in the hills near Point Richmond where an effort was being made to break them open with dynamite again.

The cannon which proved to be so strong were among the armament of the war craft which sailed the seas in 1812.

BLOOD GETS SOUR

Every Family Should Make Up This Home Mixture and Take Now

At this time of year save a well known remedy for the kidneys become weak, sluggish and inactive, failing to filter out the poisons and acids which so often cause, not only facial and bodily ailments, but the worst forms of Rheumatism, Neuritis and Stomach troubles, Backache and pain, full of misery and afflictions.

It is worth anyone's time now to get from some good pharmacist the following ingredients: Phosphoric Acid, 100 grains; Compound Syrup, 100 grains; Compound Syrup, 100 grains; Compound Syrup, 100 grains. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after your meals and at bedtime.

This simple home-made mixture will force the kidneys to normal healthy action so they will filter and strain all uric acid and poisonous waste matter from the blood and expel this in the urine at the same time restoring the blood count—that is 95 percent red blood corpuscles—which is absolutely indispensable to perfect health.

Indians in United States

In round figures there are 34,000 Indians in the United States at the present time, 91,000 of whom are in Indian territory and 1,000 in Oklahoma or 100,000 in the coming state. Those of Indian territory live civilized tribes—Cherokees, Creeks, Choctaws, Chickasaws and Seminoles—have been managing their own affairs for two-thirds of a century and are in all respects fitted for the citizen ship which they are soon to exercise. All of these and nearly all of those in the Oklahoma and of the coming state wear civilized dress and have schools, churches and the other accoutrements of civilization.—Leslies

Tantalizing Man

I see by the paper said Mrs. Blinks at the breakfast table that a delegation of women suffragettes is coming to this country.

Mr. Blinks said nothing.

And they're going to invade Washington and make a speech to the president and all.

Blinks still silent.

I declare, snapped the lady, you're the most tantalizing man in existence. There you sit like a statue never saying a word to show that you don't know what you're talking about.

Origin of Passports

The passport system is said to have had its beginning in England in the time of King Canute who obtained free passes for his subjects through various continental countries on their pilgrimages to the shrines of the Apostles Peter and Paul at Rome.

A FRIENDLY GROCER.

Dropped a Valuable Hint About Coffee.

For about eight years writes a Michigan woman, I suffered from nervousness—part of the time down in bed with nervous prostration.

Sometimes I would get numb and it would be almost impossible for me to speak for a spell. At others I would have severe bilious attacks and my heart would flutter painfully when I would walk fast or sweep.

I have taken enough medicine to start a small drug store, without any benefit. One evening our grocer was asking husband how I was and he urged that I quit coffee and use Postum so he brought home a package and I made it according to directions and we were both delighted with it.

So we quit coffee altogether and used only Postum. I began to get better in a month's time and look like another person the color came back to my cheeks. I began to sleep well, my appetite was good and I commenced to take on flesh and become interested in everything about the house.

"Finally I was able to do all my own work without the least sign of my old trouble. I am so thankful for the little book, 'The Road to Wellville' it has done me so much good. I haven't taken medicine of any kind for six months and don't need any. A friend of ours who did not like Postum as she made it liked mine, and when she learned to boil it long enough, hers was as good as mine. It's easy if you follow directions. Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, 'The Road to Wellville,' in which 'There's a reason'."

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"The doctors wanted to perform an operation, but I could

not stand the thoughts of that, and I finally began to take Wine of Cardui. Since I began I have used a great deal of it, about 15 bottles, but now I am well, and suffer no pain or other female discomfort. All thanks to you and to your wonderful medicine, Cardui, woman's relief and blessing. Whenever anyone says anything to me about female troubles, my reply is always 'try Wine of Cardui. It did wonders for me and will do the same for you.' You can get Cardui at your druggist's, in \$1 bottles. Try it. It may be just what you need for your troubles.

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Balancing a Fifty Cent Piece Upon Rim of Glass.

It would appear to be very difficult to balance a 50 cent piece by its edge on the rim of a wine glass but no great difficulty will be experienced if the following instructions are faithfully observed.

Take two ordinary small dinner forks and between the central prongs of each push in the half dollar at the same time adjusting the forks so that the prongs lie one over the other.



Balancing Coin on Edge of Glass
Now gently place the edge of the coin on the rim of the glass, the exact position will require a little searching for, but it is by no means difficult to find. When correctly placed the coin will be in such a condition of stable equilibrium as to permit of being rocked up and down with absolute freedom. The drawing (fig. 1) shows clearly the position in which the forks and coin are to be placed.

Another neat little feat of dexterity and can be no means so difficult as it appears. Says Montreal Herald: consists in placing a number of coins on the elbow and by a quick movement catching them in the hand.

The forearm and hand are to be placed in a horizontal position with the elbow as depicted in Fig. 2. It will be noticed in looking carefully at this that at the point of the hand is uppermost. The hand is now swiftly brought down describing in its course a circle and without any conscious effort it will be found that the coins direct they will be found to strike again, the arm must be kept straight and the hand firmly turned on the fact that when the hand is brought down in the manner indicated it describes an arc which cuts through the point at

Women and Smoke
A young Chicago woman is reported to be a smoke inspector. She says the smoke nuisance is serious and she does not see why women should not be useful in checking it. The job does not attract her but the opportunity to do good. If she express a civil service examination and there is no reason to doubt her ability, there will be no legal obstacle in the way of her appointment. The average woman as a smoke inspector would put into her work a degree of devotion and zeal which a man is incapable of. Says the Chicago Tribune: While men dislike smoke women hate it. It dirties their clothes. It smokes their faces. It nullifies the labor of the washer woman. It is abhorrent to them in a hundred different ways. An inspector of any kind who is not full of enthusiasm for his work and who goes on with it merely to draw his mouth is pay never accomplishes much. It is because women have enthusiasm that they make the best kind of inspectors in certain fields of labor. They are able to see shortcomings to which the average man is blind.



Catching Coin from Elbow

which the elbow was situated, this is the point at which any coin may be made.

Papa Must Wait
Little Dorothy was an only child and like many another her one wish was for a baby sister. One day when he had asked her papa to get her a baby she had indignantly replied that it was too expensive and he could not afford it.

Not long after this Dorothy and her papa were taken by a friend for an automobile ride. The friend talked enthusiastically upon the pleasures of not being asked Dorothy's father to buy an auto. Dorothy listened in silence for awhile then broke out excitedly with:

No Mr. I—papa can't go to any more expensive till he buys me a new baby brother.

Crow Serves as Alarm Clock

Winsted Conn.—A crow has acted as an alarm clock for John Babcock of Deep River for two years. Every morning at daylight it caws loudly and keeps the man up until John yawns.

Then after feeding it flies away and evidently spends its days in the woods. The bird seems to bear a charmed life as when it first began to make its visits Charles A. Kikind who then lived next door took several shots at it but fortunately missed it.

Now the crow is so well known that the person who attempted to shoot it would get himself in a lot of trouble.

It Looked Small to Him

There was a small Scotch boy who had the quality of astuteness highly developed. The boy's grandmother says the Liverpool Post was packing his luncheon for him to take to school. Suddenly looking up into the old lady's face he said:

Grandmother do you speak much niff?

A little my child she answered. Aweel then said the boy I would just like it if ye would take them off when ye're packing my luncheon.

A Farmer's Strange Story

A farmer of Caroline county Va. Mr. O. D. Pitts tells a very strange story. While plowing with a pair of horses on his farm he turned up a nest containing what he supposed to be little eggs. He put them in his pocket to carry them home. Some time later when he took up his coat he felt something moving and upon investigation found that the eggs had hatched and his pocket was full of young snakes.

GREAT RELIGIOUS REVIVAL ON ALL OVER THE WORLD

Beyond Precedent

HARVEST OF CONVERTS LARGER THAN EVER KNOWN.

Historic Movement of 1857 Far Eclipsed in Intensity and Fervor—Starting with the Work of Torrey and Alexander in Australia Four Years Ago It Has Spread to All Civilized Countries—What the Evangelists Say of It

Chicago.—The greatest religious revival of modern times is in progress. Throughout the United States the manifestations of enthusiasm have been no more marked than in foreign countries. The movement seems to be world wide. China and India are sending to this country most remarkable reports of the religious awakening in those countries. Everywhere the revival spirit is marked beyond all precedent.

In the central part of the United States with Chicago as the focal point the series of old time religious meetings and the harvest of converts have been the most notable in the history of the country since 1857.

In that year occurred a religious movement that has become historic by virtue of its intensity and scope. Considered in proportion to population then and now the movement of 1857 probably was as important as the one



Dr. R. A. Torrey.

now in progress. Taken without reference to population the movement of 50 years ago was but as a drop in a bucket compared with the scope of the revival movement that is abroad today.

The history of religious movements of this kind shows that they almost invariably have followed on the heels or have occurred during periods of deep industrial distress. In the United States this has been particularly true.

Distress Affected Souls

The religious outbreak of 1857 apparently had its origin in the distress of the people and thousands of those who had suffered financial losses in material things flocked to the churches to pray for relief from their troubles. Monetary disaster rendered the people susceptible to religious influences just as misfortune in individual cases is a potent factor in the introspection that often leads to the acceptance of religion. The great revival of the late '60s appears to have had its origin in a similar national condition. The historic religious movement led by the late Dwight L. Moody in Chicago and running synchronous to the world's fair took place when the country was entering the throes of one of the most disastrous industrial panics in its history. The same is true of other nations.

In this respect the present religious movement differs from nearly all others. There have been ten years of unprecedented prosperity. In material things the country and the people as individuals have been and are more prosperous than ever before. Yet contrary to history in the midst of this marvellous prosperity there arises and is maintained for at least four years a constantly growing tide of religious enthusiasm. The men guiding the movement say that they see no evidence of the approach of the end of the revival spirit. The number of converts is increasing daily more men are going into the evangelistic work and everywhere preparations are being made for wider activities in the revival movement.

Revival Began in Australia

The current religious enthusiasm in its world wide sense dates from the work of Torrey and Alexander in Australia four years ago. On this Australian tour these evangelists made 10,000 converts in a month and thousands upon thousands followed the first great crowd of converts in their acceptance of religion. The fire thus kindled spread throughout New Zealand and Australasia. It has continued to burn steadily in that part of the world flaming all the time and breaking out fiercely at intervals. The men who started it went to London and the results of their work there are well remembered. England Scotland and Ireland caught the contagion. The famous Torrey and Alexander meeting at Cardiff, Wales, started the

Welsh revival, which was one of the most amazing religious manifestations of either ancient or modern times. Since that time the movement has gone on as a rising tide.

New England in a Fever.

The present revival spirit in this country appeared in its most distinct form soon after the wonderful successes of Torrey and Alexander in England. New England cold temperamentally and rock bound religiously cast off its traditional reserve and laid itself open to the influences of the 'old time religion. In Boston the evangelistic work under Rev. A. C. Dixon and others resulted in an unprecedented number of conversions. All over Canada the same was true. A four weeks campaign in Toronto by Torrey and Alexander resulted in 4,300 conversions.

Philadelphia next was attacked by the evangelists and the enthusiasm whipped to a high pitch a small army of men women and children professing conversion. Every section of the country outside possibly of the Pacific coast has fallen under the wave of religious enthusiasm.

Felt Throughout the West

The revival in the middle west can not properly be said to have spread from Chicago because the religious fervor in this part of the United States has been as much in evidence in the cities surrounding Chicago for as long as it has been in the city. The proportion of converts to population in the smaller cities and towns also has been much greater than in Chicago for obvious reasons.

The exact number of converts in Chicago within the last six months is not obtainable for the reason there have been so many individual revival movements in Chicago without any central controlling organization whose business it is to keep track of the converts each church doing this work for itself. The principal evangelists working in this city estimate the number to date at from 4,000 to 5,000. Besides these many backsliders have been reclaimed and much interest has been aroused among persons who have not affiliated themselves with any church.

Enthusiasm in England

In England the established church the religious enthusiasm with in the last six years has been unprecedented and evangelistic work of wide scope is being carried on in much the same manner as the revival work is being done in the United States.

From the headquarters of the Salvation Army there come reports of extraordinary interest in the work of that remarkable organization and of an unusually large number of saved.

The work of the army however following the great humanitarian dictum of Gen. Booth that we should be willing to do as much for a man as for a horse putches in its daily manifestation much of the character of a revival and the difference there is is not so noticeable. As an army officer said: We are whooping it up all the time anyway. With us it is always revival time.

Standing out as the chief feature of the present movement is the blotting out of sectarian lines in the evangelistic work. The men who have met with the greatest success are those who have paid no attention to either sectarianism or denominational

Wm A Sunday.

Some of the most effective evangelists in the field decline even to tell their audiences what church they are formally affiliated with. In most cases this is known but doctrinal prejudices and preferences are being kept in the background as never before.

This elimination of sectarianism in the evangelistic movement may be either cause or effect—even the evangelists differ on this point. Some say that the movement is unprecedentedly strong because those lines are being ignored while others protest that they are being ignored because the general revival spirit is so strong.

What the Evangelists Say

If you ask one of the evangelists who are making big successes in the revival field for the cause of the present movement he will tell you that it is answer to prayer. This is what Rev. A. C. Dixon said.

We who believe in the efficacy of prayer believe that God is answering the petitions that have been going up for ten years all over the earth for a world wide revival of religion. Although the non church population does not know it, the fact is that Christians for a decade have prayed persistently, earnestly and confidently for just such a movement as is now in progress. We are still praying and the movement is increasing. How much stronger it will get only God knows.

"But I realize this answer will not

satisfy those who do not believe in prayer. The unchurched, while forced by what they see to admit the strength and scope of the present revival movement, demand other reasons for its existence. And there probably are other reasons. History shows us that faith comes in waves. For some years we have had the higher criticism, and educational force destructive of faith in the Bible. Dr. Briggs in the east Dr. Harper of the University of Chicago in the west the leaders of the Weihenhausen Grail school in Germany and many others who have been in the front of the higher criticism movement have done much to destroy faith. But there is a swinging back from this. Darwinism is on the wane. These things seem to come in cycles but each wave of faith in the Bible that appears is much stronger than its predecessor, and in the end faith must triumph.

Rev Mr Sunday's Views.

Billy Sunday has some very material reasons for the strength of the present movement. Here they are.

The plan of gathering together great audiences under one roof is one source of success. There is enthusi-

asm in numbers. Formerly they tried to convert a town by holding revival meetings in a church that would not seat one-fifth of the population. Most of the successful revivals in this country are on the erection of a tabernacle big enough to hold thousands if there is no such building already in the town. And people now are so prosperous that they freely give money for this purpose where they formerly would not.

But back of it all is prayer. Scoffers deny this but if a large number of scoffers were to ask a human power to give them a certain thing in a certain way at a certain time and they received this thing they would be pretty likely to think it came from the power they petitioned for. If even if they could not actually see it given.

SHEEP DOGS KNOW A LOT

Have Repeatedly Given Proof of Remarkable Intelligence

What a herd dog has first to learn is to know every one of 200 or 300 sheep and to know them both by sight and smell. This he does thoroughly. When Watson was running sheep on the plains he had a young collie not yet put to the herd but kept about the pumping plant says a writer in Harper's Magazine. As the sheep came in by hundreds to the troughs the dog grew so as to know them that when they had picked up a stray from another band he discovered it from afar off and darting is a hornet stinging and yelling put it out from the band. At the time no mere man would have pretended without the aid of the brand to recognize any of the thousands that bore it.

How long recollection stays by the dog is not certain but at least a twelve month as was proved to Filton Guard after he had lost a third of his band when the Santa Anna came roaring up Lone Pine with a cloud of saffron colored dust on its wings. After shearing of next year passing close to another band Filton's dogs set themselves unbidden to routing out of it and rounding with their own nearly 20 head which the header being an honest man freely admitted he had picked up on the mesa following after Filton the spring before.

Quick to know the willful and undisciplined members of a flock the wise collie is not sparing of bites and following after a stubborn stray will often throw it and stand guard until help arrives or the sheep shows a better mind. But the header who has a dog trained at the difficult work of herding sheep through the chutes and runways into boats and cars for transportation is the fortunate fellow.

There was Peter's dog Bourdaloue that at the Stockton landing with no assistance put 800 wild sheep from the highlands on the boat in eight minutes by running along the backs of the flock until he had picked out the stubborn or stupid leaders that caused the sheep to jam in the run way and by sharp bites set them forward, himself treading the backs of the racing flock like the premiere equestrienne of the circus which all the men of the shipping cheered to see.

Uplift Movement in Alabama

In Alabama Miss Latona Burns has been appointed by the board of education to organize a concerted movement for the improvement of the public schools of the state. She will be sent into every city and town in Alabama to form school improvement associations and to try and awaken an active interest in public education in the public officials and in mothers and fathers as well.

There is one lost art among criminals one trade which United States secret service men have seemingly wiped out to the very last man. This is the art of counterfeiting currency, says the Kansas City Star. Kansas City bank officials say that for eight years not one spurious banknote worthy of passing comment has been handled in the money world. They declare that the day of successful counterfeiting has come to an end. Not a banknote which fools the experts is on the market, said E. F. Swinney, president of the First national bank. There is counterfeit currency plenty of it, he said, but it is a kind detected almost at a glance. Inspection of it quickly reveals the flaws. Usually the work is clumsy. But not since the notorious gang in Philadelphia which made the famous Monroe hundred was wiped out has there been a really clever counterfeiter at work. At least we have no record of any.

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The only difference between the genuine bill and the counterfeit was in the shape of the figures 3 and 4 and the length of the bill. In the figure 3 the lower loop did not extend up so far toward the center of the figure as it should have extended. In the figure 4 the space between the base and the center cross line was narrower than it should have been. The false bill was one sixteenth of an inch shorter than the genuine.

Such irregularities would easily pass the eye of an expert. Mr. Swinney said. Of course if a genuine bill was laid before you and you had the opportunity to compare the two after some study the defects could be noted. But think of the number of money handlers who had the counterfeit bill who had no opportunity for such comparison.

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Appreciating to the full the generous deeds that have made you a name illustrious in this and other countries and believing that in making me this donation you will be carrying on the spirit of your work I am yours faithfully.

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SECRETS OF HIDDEN DEN OF LUXURY AND VICE

Carefully Hidden Studio in New York
Where Stanford White Entertained
Men of His Stripe in Ways That
Rivaled Days of Fabled Eastern
Luxury.

Was House Within a House Where
the Light of Day Never Was Al-
lowed to Penetrate—Only by Se-
cret Passages Could Entrance Be
Gained.

New York. — Ever since Evelyn Nesbit Thaw told her story on the witness stand so that all men might judge whether its telling were not enough to turn a husband mad—even before that, ever since the pistol shot that killed Stanford White last June let loose on the ears of men countless stories of revel and debauch until only legions of shameful ghosts seemed left to guard the memory of the dead architect, curiosity has been drawn irresistibly to White's Twenty-fourth street studio. It is the place which, if half the stories told were true, White had dedicated to that part of his life which ultimately led him to his death—the place where he played Hyde with a few depraved companions while to all the rest of the world he was a distinguished and an envied Jekyll, a place which was a heaven of beauty, and also, according to report, a hell of sin.

No other spot in New York has so stirred the imaginations of thousands. No other spot has been at once such a commonplace of gossip and yet so utterly unknown, such a closed mystery to all. And today, stripped of much of its mystery and of all the glamour and lure of its wonderful treasures of art, with only the dull outer walls left to give mute testimony to the reality of the wild scenes they once sheltered, it remains without a parallel in the history of this or any other modern city.

Truly Well Concealed.

It is not just a suite of rooms or one or more floors of a house cleverly protected from the observation or intrusion of other tenants. Still less is it an ordinary house, the windows of which, however thickly curtained and screened, must still look down on passers-by in the street below and be exposed in turn to the curious gaze of any and all who cared to raise their heads.

"You may have trouble to find this place," wrote Harry Thaw when he first appealed to Anthony Comstock and the Society for the Suppression of Vice to put a stop to the infamous

other men he would find no hint to lead him to that of Stanford White. That gilded temple of the senses stands apart, a house almost within a house, inclosed within two rows of other houses with blank walls on all sides to shut it off from all view and observation. It was a place used only in the night time and with no need for the light of day, ordinary windows and their outlook had no place in the designer's plan. Only a secret passage, cunningly walled off in the main house fronting on Twenty-fourth street, could it be reached, and only through a secret door which slid open at the touch of a hidden spring could friend or visitor enter that passage.

Belongs to Other Days.

The studio is situated in the small open court that lies between the rear of the houses on Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets. As it stands today, dismantled and untenanted, it would make an ideal haunt for kidnapers or counterfeiters, or any of the other desperate plotters who figure so largely in romantic novels, and for this reason, even in its present, its most commonplace aspect, it seems to belong to medieval days, an age younger by centuries than busy, practical, modern New York. But as it was when Stanford White was the presiding genius there, lavishing all the brilliancy of his perverted fancy on nightly entertainments so bizarre that no role was so jaded that he did not eagerly seek an invitation to attend, it belonged to the days of fabled eastern luxury and splendor, the days of the Arabian Nights, with all their wizardry of imprisoned genii, enchanted palaces and young girls beautiful as the dawn.

And the site for this lordly pleasure house, this secret haunt where the master might hold his visitor prisoner for hours or days, this dream house of art and abandon, of refinement and revelry, was chosen, as if in deliberate joy in the contrast, in the heart of the most respectable and commonplace surroundings.

"I sat up in the bed and started to

mult of Twenty-third street, with its indolent or hurrying shoppers and their restless humors of the cheapjack toys along the sidewalk, easily reaches the ear. On the Twenty-fourth street side the eye sees only an everyday row of monotonous looking houses, no uglier or shabbier than a hundred rows exactly like them from which the bright tide of fashion has drifted away forever. If an artist wished to portray a thoroughly commonplace street, without a hint of romance or a touch to fire the imagination, he could find no better scene. And it was just this setting of almost ostentatious respectability, of the staidest and least inviting propriety, that Stanford White chose to use as a curtain behind which he could set his private stage as he willed, could intoxicate himself with a riotous luxury of sensual beauty and extravagant display and teach their sorry parts to the puppets he introduced there without fear of interruption or discovery. There vice, decked in her bravest purple and crimson, nooked at the prim gray form of virtue's gray gown that sheltered her and let her live. It was as if a dancing hall from Paris should be found hidden among the elms in the churchyard of some little New England village.

Entrance to the Gilded Den.

Here is Evelyn Thaw's description of her first visit to the place:

"We stopped at a dingy lodging house and, as we passed inside, the

worked with the architect for a solid week on the fairy-tale scheme. "It cannot be done," was his own appalled objection when the plan first was unfolded. "We will do it," said Stanford White; and no conception proved too novel, no price too high, for his fancy and genius to overcome. It was in this room that the great white bear-skin was spread on which Evelyn Nesbit posed for some of her best known pictures, and here were gorgeous rose Dan Barry portieres, curiously carved pieces of teakwood and Japanese furniture, rare lace curtains, screens inlaid with ivory, and huge old cedar chests carved deep with elephant's heads, with ivory tusks set in. Priceless rugs were on the floor, from Khorassan and Serreband, from Bokhara and Tabriz, and on the walls were paintings by Rubens and Gerome and Millais and Bourguignon.

White's Most Private Studio.

On the floor above was a smaller studio, fitted up with the same royal magnificence. This was the room with the red velvet swing and the big Japanese umbrella in the ceiling through which the feet of the swinger crashed when strong arms pushed her high. Here White had his ordinary living rooms, bedrooms and dressing-rooms. On the floor above, reached by a tiny back stairway, of which few indeed knew the secret, was a studio—almost a boudoir—smaller and daintier still. Back of this, separated by curtains of heavy gold-embroidered tapestries, was the



door opened. No one touched it, but it opened of itself. We went through that door and along a passage and up some steps, and then another door opened in the same way. We went up some more steps and when we were half way up I stopped and asked where we were going, and a voice called down, but I could not see who it was. Then another voice called, a man's, and we went on up the stairs till we came into a room magnificently furnished with velvets and satins, with all kinds of beautiful things standing around and paintings on the walls and interesting cabinets and bronze and marble statuettes and shaded lights.

There are three floors to the studio, not including a kind of basement, which was given over entirely to the kitchens, pantries and servants' quarters, and a peculiar feature of the whole building is the fact that instead of one main staircase running straight up through the house, the different floors are reached by an arrangement of separate staircases, each of which gives access only to one particular floor or set of rooms. Thus White's friends passed up a staircase which gave them no hint that there were any rooms on the basement floor at all, and, by closing a door here and opening another there—all the doors being operated by a system of secret springs, which could be worked from key-boards on each floor known practically to White alone—the visitor could be led straight to any part of the house White wished without being taken through any other part. But for general purposes it was the first floor—the one above the basement—that was used as the main reception room and for the big supper parties, like that in which "the Pie Girl" figured.

Here Luxury Unrestrained.

Here the artist was in his own kingdom; here was luxury unrestrained. There were glowing antiques in bronze and marble; tapestries in wonderful, subdued tones, softened by centuries; one White had pillored himself from an Italian shrine by paying an enormous bribe to the gray-haired priest who burned candles before it. Jeweled chandeliers hung from the painted ceiling—a wild riot of color blended with consummate art—and electrical devices that startled and enchanted and charmed the eye. The electrician who furnished the house tells how he

exquisitely furnished little bedroom was where, they tell, champagne was poured for those whom the king of this palace of art most delighted to honor—with rum.

Few Knew of the Place.

Very few persons ever dreamed of the existence of this Twenty-fourth street "studio." Some of these were workmen, who constructed it under the architect's own direction; others, those in the service, who from time to time would carry there his choicest art treasures. One at least a well-known fire insurance man, must have known it—for the house and its contents were insured for thousands of dollars.

Others who entered there were clubmen, like himself, Apostles of the Unusual, ever seeking a new sensation, young women of pleasure flattered by the notice of one in the front ranks of wealth and fashion, little "country mice," like 16-year-old Evelyn Nesbit, whose fresh beauty gratified him in the splendid setting provided and whose senses were immediately dazzled by the unwonted, oriental luxury. Most of the visits there were made at night. Many of the guests would have been unable afterward to find their way there. Enough, it was Stanford White's domain, held beneath the spell of his genius. How he first conceived it, bought it, built it, threw his thick mantle of secrecy over it, nobody knew.

Just why the house came to be so dismantled, and when, remains a mystery. Dinners were given there up to within a very few weeks before the night of June 25. Perhaps some rumor reached the owner—who knows? Secrecy is ever on its guard; to be "investigated" most trying to the artistic nature. Whatever the motives, dismantled it now is. The great mirrors rudely torn from their fixtures, the priceless Bokhara rugs bundled up in a hurry and smuggled away. The occupants of the adjoining houses continue to go and come on their daily rounds, with little thought of the great house in their rear. What is likely to become of it is hard to predict. Stanford White is dead; and the veil of secrecy he drew over this, his pet haunt, has been rent from end to end. But the house is still there and still his. No other occupant seems likely to hold it. It remains a monument to the Genius, Art and Ruthlessness of one man.

WINS LAETARE MEDAL

COVETED HONOR GOES TO TRAIN-ED NEWSPAPER WOMAN.

Miss Catherine E. Conway, Editor of the Boston Pilot, Recognized for Distinguished Services by Catholic University.

Notre Dame, Ind.—Katherine Eleanor Conway, editor of the Boston Pilot, has been selected as the recipient of the Laetare medal for 1907. The medal is bestowed annually by the University of Notre Dame on some member of the Catholic laity in the United States distinguished for service to religion, art, science or philanthropy, and many men and women prominently before the public have been honored with this mark of the esteem of Notre Dame. Miss Conway is the fourth woman to receive the honor.

Katherine Eleanor Conway was born in Rochester, N. Y., and received her education at the Convent of the Sacred Heart in that city and at St. Mary's academy, Buffalo. She is now editor of the Boston Pilot, a newspaper that has been rendered famous by the editorial work of John Boyle O'Reilly and James Jeffrey Roche. Miss Conway served a long apprenticeship as assistant to both these men, and when Roche was made consul to Genoa two years ago Miss Conway succeeded to the editorial chair of the Pilot. Her newspaper experience extends over 27 years and during that time she has found time to produce a large body of more permanent literature. She is the author of "On the Sunrise Slope," poems; "Watchwords from John Boyle O'Reilly," "A Dream of Lilies," poems; "A Lady and Her Letters," "Making Friends and Keeping Them," "Questions of Honor," "Betwixt Ourselves," "New Footprints in Well-Trodden Ways," "The Way of the World and Other Ways," "Laro's Maples," and, with Clara Erskine Clement, "Christian Symbols and Stories of the Saints." Miss Conway is also a frequent contributor to the general magazines and to literary journals.

In 1883 the faculty of the University of Notre Dame determined to choose each year from the ranks of the Catholic laity of the United States a man or a woman conspicuous for furthering the interests of morality, education and citizenship and to confer on that person a tangible mark of honor that will bear witness to the approbation and sympathy of Notre Dame.

This unique expression of esteem takes the form of the Laetare medal. The medal receives its name from the day on which it is bestowed, Laetare Sunday, the fourth Sunday in Lent.

The day takes its name because the introit of the mass for that day begins with the word "Laetare," which means "rejoice."

The bar from which the disk is suspended is lettered "Laetare Medal." The face of the disk bears the inscription "Magna est Veritas et Provalabitur." "Truth is mighty and shall prevail." The reverse has the name of the university and the recipient. The address presented with the medal is printed and printed on silk and sets forth in each instance the special reasons influencing its bestowal.

Dr. John Gilmory Shea, historian, was the first on whom the medal was conferred. The list of subse-



KATHERINE ELEANOR CONWAY.
(Presented with Laetare Medal by Notre Dame University.)

quent names bears some of the most prominent Catholic laity in the United States. Since 1883, the year in which Dr. Shea was the recipient, the following men and women have received the honor in the order named:

Patrick J. Kelley, architect; Eliza Alton Starr, art critic; Gen. John Newton, civil engineer; Patrick V. Hickey, editor; Anna Hanson Dorsey, novelist; William J. Onahan, publisher; Daniel Dougherty, orator; Maj. Henry W. E. Bronson, soldier and scholar; Patrick Donahue, editor; Augustin Daly, theatrical manager; Gen. William S. Rosencrans, soldier; Anna T. Sadler, author; Dr. Thomas A. Emmett, physician; Timothy E. Howard, jurist; John Creighton, philanthropist; William Bourke Cockran, lawyer and orator; Dr. John Benjamin Murphy, surgeon; Charles Jerome Bonaparte, lawyer and statesman; Richard C. Kereens, jurist; Thomas E. Fitzpatrick, financier; Francis J. Quinlan, surgeon.

DANCED WITH POET IN 1832.

Longfellow was a Guest at Wedding of Portland's Oldest Woman.

Portland, Me.—Mrs. Phineas F. Varnum, the oldest woman in Portland and a contemporary of the poet Henry W. Longfellow, with whom she danced



Mrs. Phineas F. Varnum.

at her wedding in 1832, the other day celebrated the thirty-seventh anniversary of her birth.

Except for a slight lameness as the result of rheumatism, Mrs. Varnum is in remarkably good health and retains

a wonderful command of her faculties. She reads daily without the aid of glasses and is at present engaged in completing a piece of embroidery which involves much fine work.

On Washington's birthday Mrs. Varnum showed unusual activity. She arose early and awoke the other members of the household with a loud blast from a tin horn which she annually brings forth on the day given over to the memory of the Father of His Country, and then before breakfast superintended the draping of a flag in the reception room window, so that it would be plainly visible from the street.

During the day she read a good deal, entertained two callers and continued her embroidery on a tray cloth which is elaborately designed in many colors. Although she always decried the custom, she now takes daily naps in the early part of the afternoon.

Before her marriage Mrs. Varnum was well acquainted with Longfellow. She was the daughter of Elias Thomas and lived in the old Thomas mansion situated on the present site of the Church of the Messiah, within a minute's walk of Longfellow's birthplace. At the time of her wedding reception in 1832, Mr. Longfellow and his brothers and sisters were present and she distinctly remembers dancing with the poet on this occasion.

CROCKER MEMORIAL CHURCH.

Built Mainly of Field Stones After Early Norman Style.

New York.—A memorial church, given by George Crocker to the Episcopal mission of St. John to Ramapo, N. J., in memory of his wife, who died several years ago, has just been completed. The church is designed after the early Norman style, as found in the south of England. It is constructed mainly of field stones, laid with their natural faces exposed, with dressed stone trimmings about the windows, doorways and essential details. On the east facade is the characteristic battlemented tower, with belfry and low spire. The transepts are placed in the chancel, and form the choir and organ chamber, directly back of which is the sanctuary.

The main entrance is in the tower, at the east, opening directly into the nave, which seats, with the choir, 200 persons. The ceiling of the nave shows the wood trusses and urline exposed and finished in Flemish stain. The chancel, which is divided from the nave by a pointed arch, is arranged for a vested choir and for an organ loft. Separated from the chancel by another pointed arch is the sanctuary.

The erection of the church was carried on with the greatest simplicity of detail consistent with thoroughness and beauty. The structure, with the ecclesiastical fittings and pipe organ,



Novel Memorial Church.

cost \$12,000. Mr. Crocker last summer gave a new pipe organ to the church. The Rev. Dr. Jackson of Attleboro, N. J., is the priest in charge of the mission.

Millions of Ties Demanded. Owing to the unusual activity in railroad building, it is estimated that in Ontario alone 4,500,000 ties will be cut this year.



THE MAGNIFICENT STUDIO IN WHICH WHITE DELIGHTED TO PHOTOGRAPH HIS FAVORITES.

practices which he said were carried on within its walls; "You may have trouble to find this place, for it is well concealed."

Well concealed it is, for though a man knew street and number he might search all day and never find it, going on his way at last satisfied the address he had was wrong. No stranger in the street ever saw the windows of Stanford White's studio; a man might pass through the outer door of the building, and wander all through the building, and though he would find easy access to the studios or rooms of

Commonplace Surroundings. One wall of the studio backs on the Eden Musee, the delight of children and simple country visitors. The tu-

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FRANK HUDDLESTON

For Floterial Representative
E. S. RATLIFF

For State Corporation Commissioner
J. J. M'ALESTER

For Justice of Supreme Court
ROBERT L. WILLIAMS

For Clerk of Supreme Court
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For Circuit Judge
EUGENE E. WHITE

For County Judge
J. P. WOOD
A. M. CROXTON
JOEL TERRELL

For County Attorney
ROBT WIMBISH
B. C. KING

For Sheriff
ROBERT NESTER;
A. J. (GUS) BOBBITT
L. E. (LEM) MITCHELL
JAMES D. GAAR
J. E. (ED) FUSSELL

For County Clerk
C. A. (CHARLIE) POWERS
W. S. (SAM) KERR
H. WOODARD
M. F. DEW.

For District Clerk
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W. D. LOWDEN.

For County Treasurer
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C. K. DAVENPORT
J. K. SCROGGIN

For Register of Deeds
A. C. BRAY
GARY KITCHENS
C. C. HARGIS
A. L. MILES.

For County Surveyor

For Supt. of Public Instruction
BASCOM T. LAWSON
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For County Commissioner
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JOHN B. STEWART
JOHN D. RINARD
ED. L. THOMPSON.

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THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE!

Hereby is announced the Mason Drug Co. a candidate for the Most Popular Drug Store in Pontotoc county, subject to the action and approval of all people who want PURE DRUGS, HONEST PRICES, and a SQUARE DEAL. And this candidate will be an easy winner!

Wm. Hatton of Stonewall, was in Ada over night on his way to Abolene, Texas.

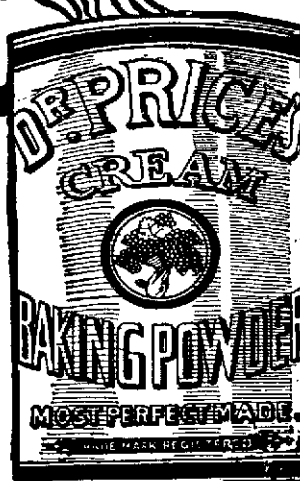


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KNOCKING THE HOME PAPER.

It is no uncommon thing to hear people in a little town speak more or less contemptuously of their little home paper. That's a very easy thing to do. Indeed it's easy to pick flaws in anybody or anything under the sun; and there be some who spend their lives largely doing that sort of thing—in most cases useless lives.

These who have the habit of sneering at their home paper, tossing it aside with, "There's nothing in it," or some similar comment, have perhaps at some time past picked up without pay a New York World, or an Oklahoman, or a Dallas News, and haven't any more sense than to expect a metropolitan paper to be published in their little home towns. Were you to put one of these little critical creatures in a city big enough that he could get a big paper, hot from the press every day, the fact is he would get lost and would soon starve to death.

The fact is, any town anywhere gets just as good a home paper as it deserves, and in most cases, better. It's notoriously true that the disposition of newspapers to grow faster than the town and to give too much for the money is a continuing curse to the financial end of the business.

To take an example closer home: The Ada News is just as big as Ada is, and bigger. Men who come down here from New York, from Oklahoma City, from Dallas—men competent to judge

—express surprise at finding a daily paper as big and as good as it is in a city as small as Ada.

The News has an abundance of faults and shortcomings. Some of them can be remedied with small effort, and they are going to be in the near future. But as for making it a big metropolitan affair, so that a subscriber can read a copy clear through a case of slow fever—that's in the very dim and hazy future. In the meantime some of these little folks who have to live in little cities had best weed some of these big metropolitan notions out of their little craniums.

THAT ALLEGED DICKER.

The Ada Democrat editorially this week arraigns severely Judge Baker, of Wewoka, for his argument that Seminole being indisposed to put out any candidate for either state senator or floater this time, conceding both to Pontotoc as a compliment to Judge Furman's candidacy for the United States Senate—that therefore it would be the nice and reciprocal thing for Pontotoc to refrain from putting forth a candidate for district judge.

Insinuating that such a political deal may have been attempted. The Democrat proceeds to denounce any such presumptuous enterprise, saying "We should like to be informed who in these two counties has the right to apportion the offices, anyway."

While The Democrat does not openly accuse any Pontotoc man of dickering with Judge Baker and of trying to "apportion the offices," still it takes two to make a trade, and assuming such a trade attempted, suspicion would naturally attach to one or more of the three candidates from Pontotoc who have announced for the offices of state senator and floater.

Since I am one of those three I feel it my duty to disclaim any part whatever in any such deal. I have not so much as expressed to Judge Baker any sympathy for his candidacy. Neither has anyone else with my authority so much as discussed with him a dickering of that character. The offices belong to the people, are alone theirs to bestow, and whosoever will may run.

OTIS B. WEAVER.
Candidate for State Senator from Pontotoc and Seminole Counties.

APPRECIATED.

Weaver's Candidacy for Senate Secures Favorable Press Comment.

Otis Weaver, editor of the Ada News, is a candidate for the State Senate. If Weaver's service to the party in the past is rewarded as it deserves he should be elected without opposition, and it looks like he will be. That he may be is the wish of the Times.—Mill Creek Times.

The latest newspaper man to break into the political arena, is Otis B. Weaver, of Ada, who is running for the state senate from Pontotoc county. Now while we know very little personally, about Mr. Weaver, we've been a pretty close reader of his paper, The News, and from that we can say that he is certainly a Democrat, the kind that spares neither time, space or money in the furtherance of his party's interests. His long residence in this country with the ability he has displayed in making a success out of his paper he should be fully equipped to creditably represent his county senatorially. Then besides, we believe that the press boys have, more than any other factor, been the means of bringing this country to what it now is and are entitled to a front seat.—Tupelo Times.

Sorosis.

The Sorosis Club met with Mrs Sledge on Thursday. The club is studying Hamlet this year, from which its members have realized a great deal of profit and pleasure. There were a number of invited guests, who enjoyed the literary program as well as the social hour. Miss Murray Lucas delighted all with her vocal and instrumental solos. Mrs. Perkins' well rendered reading was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Delicious refreshments were served.

An Ada woman says you should be "ready" to buy a new hat whenever the NEWEST hat is ready for you.

Its virtues have been established for many years, and thousands of people have been made happy by taking Hol-lister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

A New Firm

The firm of Lowden & Shirley has changed hands and will hereafter be known as Shirley, Bailey & Daggs. Good honest merchandise and liberal treatment to all customers will be the business motto of the new firm, and we ask for a share of your patronage. We will always endeavor to treat you right and save you money. New spring goods are here and we ask you to come in and get prices. Watch for further announcements.

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OVERDRAFTS

It is becoming well known by business men that one draft, whether large or small, are not approved by the bank until the next day. The large central banks allow overdrafts only on a very small scale, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the banks that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts prevents the advancing of moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the bank whose account is always overdrawn is the man who is sure to be ruined, and he makes and will finally have no bank to run.

Ada National Bank

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The New M. E. Church, South

Rev. Thomas Lee Rippey, Pastor.

The beautiful new church building, the worshipping place for the First M. E. Church, South, of Ada, the most magnificent and best arranged house of worship of any town of our size in the Territory, has been completed.

The building is located at the corner of 14th and Townsend, and is at the exact geographical center of the city.

This fact is due to the persistent and untiring efforts of Pastor Thos. L. Rippey and the faithful congregation, who have worked in perfect unison and accord with the end ever in view which has just been reached.

The congregation and pastor have contributed most liberally both in labors of construction and in means, and now at the completion of the great work the Church finds itself with only a moderate debt on its building.

The building committee is composed of J. W. Hays, president of the Citizens National Bank; John W. Beard, prominent citizen and capitalist, Frank Jones, cashier of the Ada National Bank, and Thos. L. Rippey, pastor of the church.

The entire cost of the new building, which does not include the lots on which it is located, has been some \$13,000, but the building committee feels that, by careful contracting and proper distribution of contracts, they have fully a \$20,000 structure. The building of the church was not let by a contract in a lump to any one party, but the several different classes of work were let out in separate contracts, with the building committee ever overseeing the work and on the lookout to save the church a few dollars. It was owing to their carefulness that such an amount of money has been saved.

The actual construction was commenced some time in June of last year, and including time lost in waiting for material, bad weather, etc., only about nine months have been consumed in constructing the new home for Ada Methodism.

The building on the first floor is constituted of the large main auditorium, a good sized lecture room, and the pastor's study, aside from several closets and vestibules. The main auditorium and lecture room have a seating capacity of fully 600 people, with room for 800 when chairs are also used.

On the second floor of the building will be found two large parlors to be used as reception rooms, and a kitchen for special occasions, and several closets. The parlors are each 14x20 feet in dimensions, while the kitchen is but little smaller.

There are two stairways leading to the second floor, one at the front of the church and one at the rear.

Oak pews have been installed in the main auditorium and lecture room, and they, like everything else connected with the new building, are of the very best, being neat and comfortable. They are exceptional good seats, are all oak with quarter-sawn treble ends, the heaviest furniture made, and were purchased from H. C. Vaught & Co., of Parker, Ind., one of the largest establishments of its kind in the central west.

One of the most beautiful parts of the church are the handsome cathedral glass windows, 33 in number, bought from the J. J. Wagner Co., of Kansas City, Mo., who deal exclusively in fancy church windows. This firm made an especial effort on the windows for the church, which was, perhaps, due to Bro. Rippey's two visits to their establishment, and informed authorities state that the new windows present the best work of glazing they have ever seen. Several of the windows contain figures of the old biblical characters and others contain those of more modern christian personages. Others contain emblems of christianship, and these are all hand painted work. On the south side of the building is a group of three windows containing the figures of John and Charles Wesley with the apostle John in the center. These windows were presented respectively, one by Evangelist French E. Oliver, one by Pastor Rippey and family, and the third has been put in in loving remembrance of the late Sam P. Jones. The cost of these three windows was \$100 each.

On the north side of the church is one of the three most handsome windows. Its cost was \$250 and was put in for the Sunday school and Women's Home Missionary society in appreciation of the work they have done in the interest of the church. The Sunday school has already raised \$700 and in the next six months will have raised \$300 more, which will nearly pay for the windows. The entire cost of the windows was \$1,100.

Another one of the \$250 windows was put in by the traveling men who make Ada, selling their various lines, and is one of the prettiest things in the whole church. Aside from this it is one of the most appreciated contributions re-

ceived. Their window is located on the front, overlooking the porch.

In the front vestibule is located the window which is a contribution from the Indians of this locality. This \$65 window the Indians are paying for, and seem to take great interest in the work.

On one of the north windows is the inscription "Offering of the Frisco Railroad Boys." This is the window put in by the local Frisco Railroad employees, and cost \$65.

The contractors who did the masonry, as well as the carpenters who handled the wood work, each contributed a window to show their appreciation of the good of the work and their good fellowship toward their employers.

In the new building are also win-

dows dedicated to the Senior and Junior Leagues.

Others are inscribed with emblems and figures of "The Wise Virgin," "Christ Knocking at the Door," "The Good Shepherd," "Moses and the Law," etc.

The new church is carpeted throughout with carpets of Wilton velvet, and their entire cost was \$502.48.

Electric lights were installed and the wiring done by the Ada Electric Co. In the dome of the main auditorium there are a total of eighty-seven lights, and in the entire church there is a total of one hundred and fifteen.

The Woman's Home Mission Society has raised \$1,017 which will pay for the new furniture.

The entire building is heated by furnaces, two large ones being located in

the cellar, and radiators placed in every room of the building. These furnaces were purchased from the Ohler Heating Company, of South McAlester, and are of the very best kind obtainable.

During the construction of this new building there were but two contracts awarded to parties out of Ada, and then only because there was no one here who would bid on the work. These contracts were the ones for the heating apparatus and for the brick laying and masonry. This later was let to F. W. Tibbets, of Denison, Texas, who did the work in a most satisfactory manner.

The carpenter work was all done by contract by Freese & Burford, local contractors, who did their part of the contract fully up to the expectations of the building committee.

P. T. Ingram attended to all the

painting, tinting and freecasing done on the building, and a good piece of work it was. It was this that had much to do with the beautiful appearance the church now presents.

The contract for tinning and gut-tering was also given to a local man, E. P. Meigs, whose work was highly satisfactory in every respect.

J. H. Keene, of Ada, did the plastering and seemed to take especial pride in the work, after considering the cause he was working for. By his pains he has done much towards beautifying the interior of the building.

There are four entrances to the main auditorium of the church, each approached by a vestibule, and aside from this there is an entrance at the rear of the building. This number of entrances will make it possible, on special occasions when great crowds are in attendance at worship, for an easy entrance or exit. The building committee and architect are due praise for this forethought.

Parr & Smith, of South McAlester, two of the very best architects in this part of the country, drew the plans for this commodious building, and are to be commended for their minuteness and correctness. Their aid to the building committee was of vast importance, and the committee were very fortunate in securing such competent men to draw the plans. Working upon suggestions from the architects the committee secured nothing except the very best and most competent workmen and used nothing but the best material. The result of this carefulness is now in evidence—the beautiful new house of worship stands without a peer in the new state, in a town of our size.

We must not fail to make mention of the elegant little study for the pastor provided in the rear of the church building. Well ventilated, with two large windows and nicely furnished, it will be an ideal place for the deliberations of a thoughtful man. An old-fashioned fire place has been provided, and altogether it is a very commodious little room.

The pastor, Rev. Thos. L. Rippey, can not be given too much praise for his interest and perseverance in this big undertaking of building such an elegant new home for the local church. It was he who first conceived the idea, it was he who talked the new church proposition to his congregation and made many followers in the movement, and it was he who in spite of some slight objections at the start has carried a great undertaking to a successful finish. This is the third year of Brother Rippey's pastorate in Ada, and during those three years he has made many warm friends by his learned teachings and by his Christian fellowship. Aside from this there are those who can not but admire him for his sticktoitiveness at church building, which fact has been fully demonstrated to Ada people in the past nine months.

Monday afternoon from three to five o'clock the ladies of the Home Missionary Society will give a China shower at the parlors of the church. This is done for the purpose of furnishing the China closet, so there will be no wanting in this line at social functions when eatables are to be served. A lunch of light refreshments will be served free and the public of Ada is invited to be in attendance.

Brother Rippey announces that the revival at the new church will begin on the first Sunday in June. He will be assisted by his father, Rev. W. M. P. Rippey, of Chickasha.

OPENING SERVICES.

The opening services at the new church will be held tomorrow.

Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. W. F. McMurray, D. D., of Louisville, Ky., secretary of the Methodist church Extension Board is coming for the purpose of opening the church and will speak at both these services.

At three o'clock in the afternoon there will be a service held at the church at which all the pastors of the city and visiting preachers will participate. The public is most earnestly invited to attend any or all of these services.

Full program of tomorrow's opening services will be found on another page.

In Mayor's Court.

John Turner yesterday pleaded guilty to being drunk, and was assessed a fine of \$7.75. This morning young Edman Hazelwood, living over in Old Town was taken before the Mayor charged with jumping on a train while in motion, and stealing a short ride. His fine was fixed at \$7.75.

There are three prisoners in the city bastille at present, who the city are feeding, and who should be put to work on the streets and made to in that way pay their fines and board bills.

IN THE HOUSEHOLD

MATTERS OF GENERAL SANITARY IMPORTANCE.

Proper Care of the Bathroom and Its Appurtenances—To Clean Incandescent Mantles—Getting Rid of Ants.

Besides the stationary belongings to the bathroom—tubs, shower bath, lavatory and closet—there should be a room completely furnished, a soap dish, spongeholder, toilet linen basket, tumbler holder, robe hook, match box, and toilet paper holder. Each one of these articles should be kept in order with exactness and regularity. Plenty of soap and warm water should be used on the enameled work, with occasional additions of ammonia. The nickel plating should be rubbed with a soft dry cloth, whitening being used as a polish.

Patent prescriptions for nickel plate should be avoided, as they often contain an acid that destroys the metal. Sanitary plumbing is of such great importance in building a house every item that makes for show should be cut out if it deprives the bathroom of the best class of work. Cases of illness are certain to follow cheap plumbing, with doctors' bills to prove a severe punishment for the false economy.

To clean incandescent mantels, first remove the globe, then lift off the remaining parts, and place on a table. Take off the chimney, then with a hatpin put half way through the cord at the top of the mantle, lift off carefully and place each end of the pin on the side of a tumbler, the mantle hanging down between them. Then pour carefully over the mantle a little kerosene. Remove the film and with a soft brush clean the mantle. Then apply a lighted match to burn the spirits off mantle (as when new). Clean the chimney with a little of the spirits left in tumbler, then the globe.

Replace both, and you will have a beautiful, clear light and your mantle will last at least a few months longer. Be careful not to put a lighted match near the spirits.

In cleaning a stopped waste pipe, first remove the grate in the sink. Get three round pieces of leather which will fit the waste pipe, cut a piece of broom handle one and one-half feet long, and place the three pieces of leather on top of each other. Drive a long nail through the center and into the end of the handle. Insert in the waste pipe and move quickly up and down.

To eliminate ants, the surest way is to find the nest and destroy it. Place some grains of coarse granulated sugar where it will be found easily by the ants and then watch each loaded body as it scampers over the line of march to the nest. Often the track ends at a well, especially if the house is old, and it may be necessary to cut away a portion of the surface before the nest can be reached. At other times the little fellows make straight for out of doors with a wisdom one only can marvel at. Then it followed they will be seen to enter a hole in the ground. This is the nest. When the nest is in the house, saturate it thoroughly with kerosene, or with boiling water, doing the work quickly, for the very little mites will hurry to get away from the death dealing fluid. Any portion of the wall or of the flooring that has been removed in order to reach the nest can be replaced when the work is accomplished.

TIME TO CLEAN FURS.

Fur is the Best Agent That Can Be Employed.

Every woman who wears furs should clean them this season, no matter how carefully they have been worn, for they are surely dirty, though dark skins may not show the soil. Many light ones, however, give marked evidences now of the need of cleansing.

This cleaning process that restores the luster and "life" may be easily done at home by rubbing bran into the fur. For this work buy a pound of bran, divide it into two portions, and place one in the oven to heat. Spread the fur on paper on a table and rub it well all over with the cold bran. Then shake out the bran and brush the fur with a soft hair brush. When the rest of the bran feels hot, rub it evenly into the fur in the same manner as before. Shake it out and brush it till the fur is quite free from all bran and dust.

Ermines, white fox and other white skins require slightly different treatment. Sawdust and plaster of paris, mixed half and half, should be heated and rubbed into the skin several times. Then the coat, collar, etc., should be put in the sun, to air or else hung near a radiator.

A white felt of chiffon hat may be much freshened by rubbing powdered magnesia into it as firmly as one can without injuring the material, and then brushing out with a soft brush. Repeat this several times.

Rust Blemishes.

Rust may be removed from nickel plating by covering the spots with mutton tallow and letting it stand for several days. If this treatment is followed by a rubbing with powdered rottenstone and then by a thorough washing with strong ammonia, succeeded by clear water, and a final polishing with dry whitening, stubborn cases will yield.—Woman's Life.

OLD CANNON CAN'T BE BROKEN.

Armament of Old Craft Was Made to Last.

A good story is being told at the Mare Island navy yard concerning a San Francisco contractor who bought all the old obsolete cannon which were sold at the local yard some time ago. The cannon were all of the smooth bore kind, and in order that they might be easily handled for shipment to the city all sorts of schemes were tried to endeavor to break them with dynamite and blasting powder, but they were unsuccessful.

An electric drill machine was even set up at the yards and the cannon were drilled full of holes in order to weaken them for breaking open with wedges, but this was also unsuccessful. The cannon were then taken away and the last heard of them they were corralled in the hills near Point Richmond, where an effort was being made to break them open with dynamite again.

The cannon which proved to be so strong were among the armament of the war craft which sailed the seas in 1812.

BLOOD GETS SOUR.

Every Family Should Make Up This Home Mixture and Take Now.

At this time of year, says a well-known authority, the kidneys become weak, clogged and inactive, failing to filter out the poisons and acids, which sour the blood, causing not only facial and bodily eruptions, but the worst forms of Rheumatism, Nervous and Stomach troubles, Backache and painful, annoying urinary affections.

It is worth anyone's time now to get from some good prescription pharmacy the following ingredients: Fluid Extract Pandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after your meals and at bedtime.

This simple home-made mixture will force the kidneys to normal, healthy action, so they will filter and strain all uric acid and poisonous waste matter from the blood, and expel this in the urine, at the same time restoring the "full blood count"—that is, 95 percent red blood corpuscles—which is absolutely indispensable to perfect health.

Indians in United States.

In round figures, there are 234,000 Indians in the United States at the present time, 91,000 of whom are in Indian territory and 13,000 in Oklahoma, or 106,000, in the coming state. Those of Indian territory, the five civilized tribes—Cherokees, Creeks, Choctaws, Chickasaws and Seminoles—have been managing their own affairs for two-thirds of a century, and are in all respects fitted for the citizenship which they are soon to exercise. All of these, and nearly all of those in the Oklahoma end of the coming state, wear civilized dress, and have schools, churches and the other accompaniments of civilization.—Leslie's.

Tantalizing Man.

"I see by the paper," said Mrs. Blinks at the breakfast table, "that a delegation of women suffragettes is coming to this country."

Mr. Blinks said nothing.

"And they're going to invade Washington and make a speech to the president, and all."

Blinks still silent.

"I declare," snapped the lady. "You're the most tantalizing man in existence. There you sit like a statue, never saying a word to show that you don't know what you're talking about."

Origin of Passports.

The passport system is said to have had its beginning in England in the time of King Canute, who obtained free passes for his subjects through various continental countries on their pilgrimages to the shrines of the Apostles Peter and Paul at Rome.

A FRIENDLY GROCER.

Dropped a Valuable Hint About Coffee.

"For about eight years," writes a Mich. woman, "I suffered from nervousness—part of the time down in bed with nervous prostration."

"Sometimes I would get numb and it would be almost impossible for me to speak for a spell. At others, I would have severe bilious attacks, and my heart would flutter painfully when I would walk fast or sweep."

"I have taken enough medicine to start a small drug store, without any benefit. One evening our grocer was asking husband how I was and he urged that I quit coffee and use Postum, so he brought home a pkg. and I made it according to directions and we were both delighted with it."

"So we quit coffee altogether and used only Postum. I began to get better in a month's time and look like another person, the color came back to my cheeks, I began to sleep well, my appetite was good and I commenced to take on flesh and become interested in everything about the house."

"Finally I was able to do all my own work without the least sign of my old trouble. I am so thankful for the little book, 'The Road to Wellville.' It has done me so much good. I haven't taken medicine of any kind for six months and don't need any."

"A friend of ours who did not like Postum as she made it, liked mine, and when she learned to boil it long enough, her's was as good as mine. It's easy if you follow directions." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, 'The Road to Wellville,' in pkg. "There's a reason."

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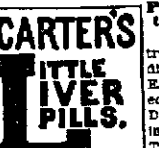
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Irritability, bad temper, nervousness, melancholia, and other signs of disordered nerves, are frequently caused simply by dyspepsia.

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Big Port of New South Wales.

Newcastle, N. S. W., is now a very important port, with its 80,000 people and situated 102 miles by rail or 80 miles by sea from Sydney. The principal shipments are coal. Last year 1,779 vessels entered and cleared, having a combined tonnage of 2,768,401. Labor troubles are its chief drawback.

The Reason.

Thousands of boxes of Hunt's Cure are sold annually under a strict guarantee to cure Eczema, Tetter, Ringworm and Itch in any known form. Few, indeed, request their money back. The reason is obvious—it does just what it is recommended to do.

Hearing Strangely Restored.

A man of Witten, Germany, who had been almost deaf for some years, recovered his hearing completely after a terrific explosion.

Plan for Good Health! Take Garfield Tea now! It regulates the liver and kidneys, overcomes constipation, purifies the blood and eradicates disease. It is made wholly of Herbs.

A worthy life is impossible without a worthy motive.—Ruskin.

Woman Lobster Catcher.

Mrs. Kate Wilson is supposed to be the only woman professional lobster-catcher in the state of Maine. Mrs. Wilson has a boat whose motive power is a four-horse power gasoline engine, and she is making a success of her business.

Don't Delay.

Save a possible serious spell of Fever later on by cleansing your system now of its accumulation of impurities. Simmon's Sarsaparilla will do it. It makes good blood, fine appetite, great strength and grand ambition.

It sometimes happens that when an actor finds things coming his way he tries to dodge them.

Lewis' Single Binder Cigar has a rich taste. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 20c bottle.

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Because of those ugly, grizzly, gray hairs. Use "LA CREOLE" HAIR RESTORER. Price, \$1.00, retail.

The Happy Habit "Saving"

Start now and see what great satisfaction to you in seeing it grow. We accept small amounts on deposit. \$1 will start an account.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PERSONALS

Ed Franks, with his family, is visiting his brother-in-law, A. A. Walker, a prominent citizen of North Ada.

The bath tubs at Crowder's barber shop are always kept nice and clean. The best trade is appreciated and solicited.

G. L. Parker, of Allen, editor of the Allen Hustler, and chairman of the Democratic county central committee, is in Ada today attending the committee meeting.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton, chicken specialist.

Sam McClure was here from Roff over night on business.

Kokoma Smith, of Konawa, was an Ada visitor last night.

FOR SALE.—Good Surry. Mrs. T. J. Worthington, W. 14th St.

Miss Grace Holley went to Konawa this afternoon for a short visit.

G. C. Wimbish is in Ada from Coricanna, Texas.

Marriage license was issued this morning to Jake Yancy and Miss Emma Gillaspie, both of Conway.

H. F. King, of Konawa, is in Ada today on a business mission.

I am now running a small transfer wagon, and would appreciate your business. Small deliveries made for 5c, larger ones in proportion. Phone No. 70. J. R. Ingram.

Robt. M. Cummings returned this morning from a business visit to Shawnee.

WANTED.—35 laborers at Rock crusher at Sasakwa, I. T. Wages \$1.50 and \$1.75 per day. Sasakwa Rock Crushing Co.

Miss Gordon, of Wetumka, passed through Ada today on her way home from a visit at Konawa. While here she was the guest of Miss Grace Holley.

H. A. Blackburn, of Blackburn's gin, one of the most substantial farmers in that locality, was in Ada today.

Goody, Goody, Goody—That's what you say. Loose-Wiles chocolates and bon-bons at Mason's.

Attorney W. H. Hammond, of Francis, attended the meeting of the county Democratic central committee today.

FOR RENT: Three or four neatly furnished rooms by the week or month. Corner Rennie and 14th street. T. B. Kile.

Carl Robb, who was run over by a train a few weeks ago, is reported as still improving and it will not be a great time before he will be able to be around again.

Four-room house on East Twelfth street, furnished neat and complete for rent at a reasonable price from May to September. Apply to S. J. Armstrong.

F. C. Harris had several telephone messages last night from his brother, G. C., at Wewoka, saying that a very rich well of oil had just been struck there. F. O. and F. R. Harris will go to Wewoka tonight.

DO YOU PAY CASH FOR YOUR GOODS ?

If you do 'phone 70 and save money.

Dry Goods Shoes
Groceries

We are now prepared to make prompt deliveries at cut prices.

Highest Patent Soft Wheat
Flour \$1.00 per Sack.

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Flour 95c per Sack.

Come in and look at our line of Dorothy Dodd Shoes.

ONE PRICE SPOT CASH TO ALL

Jas. M. Walsh

CHURCH PROGRAM.

Opening Services of the New M. E. Church, South, Ada, Oklahoma,
Sunday, April 14, 1907.

Sermon Both Morning and Evening by
Rev. W. F. McMurray, D. D.

Following is a program of the services tomorrow:

MORNING.

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.—Preaching.

Voluntary—"Unto Thee Do We Give Thanks."

Singing from the Methodist Hymnal.

The Apostles Creed.

Prayer.

Anthem—Quartet, "He Shall Hear My Voice."

Lesson from Old Testament.

The Gloria Patri.

Lesson from New Testament.

Notices.

Sermon—by Rev. W. F. McMurray, D. D.

Singing from the Methodist Hymnal.

Benediction.

AFTERNOON.

3:00 O'CLOCK.

Song.

Prayer.

Talks by Resident Pastors—

Rev. Kirtley.

Rev. Robertson.

Rev. Harrell.

Talks by Visiting Pastors.

Song.

Benediction.

EVENING.

7:00 O'CLOCK.

Epworth League.

8:00 O'CLOCK.

Voluntary—"O For a Thousand Tongues"

Song—Methodist Hymnal.

Prayer.

Lesson.

Anthem—"Evening Prayer."

Sermon—by Rev. W. F. McMurray.

Benediction.

A part of the Ada Merchants' Band

went to Allen today where they will

tonight; present the minstrel performance

put on by them at the opera house

here a few weeks ago.

The clock ticks and ticks the time away.

Shortening up our lives each day.

Eat, drink and be merry.

For some day you will be where.

You can't get Rocky Mountain Tea.

Free samples at G. M. Ramsey's.

Instead of the regular meeting of the

Home Mission society Monday after-

noon, the ladies will entertain their

friends in the parlors of the new church

from 3:00 to 5:00. All cordially invited.

Gymnastics alone can never give that

elasticity, ease and graceful figure

which comes by taking Hollister's Rocky

Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

G. M. Ramsey.

Join the Procession.

JUDGE for yourselves.

U then come to my store,

Do your Produce (buying

from floor and shelves.)

Get into the line, make haste

to my door;

Enter straight in and buy.

Have them sent to your door.

I can inform you the goods

are O-K.

Let me show you chickens so gay

To bring poultry lovers from

every way.

O come, buy one small bill,

Never will I lose you as a cus-

tomor still.

Judge Hilton

Phone

STRAYED or Stolen

On or about March 15, my brown Jersey cow disappeared from Daniel Hayes' pasture. She was branded bar A on side, and is fresh by this time. \$5.00 reward for her return to me.

Geo. Irwin.

The Sweetest Story Ever Told.

Our Candy Depart-
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WE are the sole agents for the Red Band Candy of New York manufacture, a factory that makes 20 tons of fine candy a day. We want you to try some for yourself. This means candies which are pure and wholesome, made in well-lighted work rooms, by skillful help, with the most modern hygienic apparatus. Every possible means are employed to maintain and safeguard the high quality of this delicious composition.

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Cream Bon Bons
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Butter Diamonds
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Little Butter Cups
Cream Dates
Vanilla Fudge

Seeing is believing.
Come in and be convinced.

The Nickel Store

HALL.

S. M. SHAW, Prop.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Patton, of Tishomingo, were in Ada, their former home, today for a few hours. Mrs. Patton will visit with relatives in Konawa and Frisco, while Mr. Patton completes his work at Guthrie as journal clerk of the constitutional convention. In his candidacy for clerk of the supreme court he is meeting with encouragement everywhere and will probably have no opposition.

Don't Miss it—that musical T given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church at the home of W. G. Currie next Tuesday night. There will be abundant enjoyment for everybody. 2c

Notice to Dead-Beats.

The Ada Retail Merchants' association announces that hereafter no one of their members will give credit to persons whose names have been turned in to the secretary as delinquents. A fine of \$2.50 is assessed to merchants who do so. R. S. Tobin, Sec. 17-d6t

A Beebe Visitor.

D. M. Pope was here from Beebe Saturday. He reported to The News that there was a very interesting political meeting there Friday night at which time J. A. Baker, judicial candidate; A. J. Moore, for county treasurer; and C. K. Davenport, also candidate for county treasurer, made speeches supporting their candidacy. Mr. Pope made The News office a pleasant call. He is one of our oldest subscribers in that locality, and says that he could not get along without The News.

"Made Last Night"

For the Southern trade—Jacob's New Orleans chocolates and bon-bons. Gwin, Mays & Co. 16-d6t

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Canned
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Just the thing to serve for luncheons or dinners. Everybody likes beans—baked beans especially—and there is nothing in baked beans that equal the beans baked by HEINZ and sold by TOBIN.

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We do all kinds of cleaning, pressing, dyeing and repairing. Upstairs in the Duncan Block.

The K. C. Tailor Shop
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FOR RENT—3-room house. O. B. Weaver.

The Buggy Question

is quite a rough one to solve unless you know the merits of the **Racine** line. After you become familiar with all the good points of a **Racine Buggy** no amount of talk, inducements, coaxing, begging, or easy term propositions could induce you to buy anything but a **Racine**. Don't go too much on what the "other fellows" say until you have given the **Racine Buggy** careful examination and become informed of our very liberal prices. We carry a full line of **Racine** buggies, carriages and runabouts, with either rubber or steel tires, wide or narrow gear.

Don't fail to see the free demonstration of the manufacture of Racine Buggies in front of my store at 3:30 sharp Saturday afternoon.

A. L. NETTLES, Hardware Man
Who Sells Honest Goods at Honest Prices.

A New Business Firm.

Shirley, Bailey & Daggs is the style of the firm name at the store formerly owned by Lowden & Shirley. A. J. Shirley, W. C. Bailey and Lee Daggs now have possession instead of W. Lowden and A. J. Shirley. The new firm will be glad to have a continuance of the business formerly enjoyed, and the new members of the firm, W. D. Bailey and Lee Daggs, ask their friends to call around and see them. The change took place yesterday.

CALLING CARDS.—Only \$1.00 per hundred, at The News office. Also swell line of monogram embossed stationery. Come in and see samples.

An Ada man recently asserted that a woman's clothes should cost ten times as much as her husband's. This estimate is far too high, and we believe the ladies will agree with us. Perhaps the man's wife bought her dresses, hats—and other articles too numerous to mention—of the stores that do not advertise.

Gov. W. L. Byrd is on the sick list. Mrs. J. W. Byrd is suffering a great deal today with an abscess.

Notice.

By virtue of the authority vested in us by the terms of a real estate mortgage executed by the Frisco Mercantile Company, of Francis, I. T., to the Citizens National Bank of Ada, I. T., we will on the 15th day of April 1907, in front of Waton Bros. & Co., of Francis, I. T., between the hours of noon and two o'clock sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property to-wit: Lots 12 and 13 in block 36, also lot 1 in block 67, and lot 6 in block 59 of the townsite of Francis, I. T., and all improvements of all kinds on each lot, for the purpose of satisfying two notes of \$3,320.00 and \$1,030.00 which are due.

Citizens National Bank of Ada.
Per J. W. HAYS, President, Mortgagee.
This April 6th, 1907. 14-1f

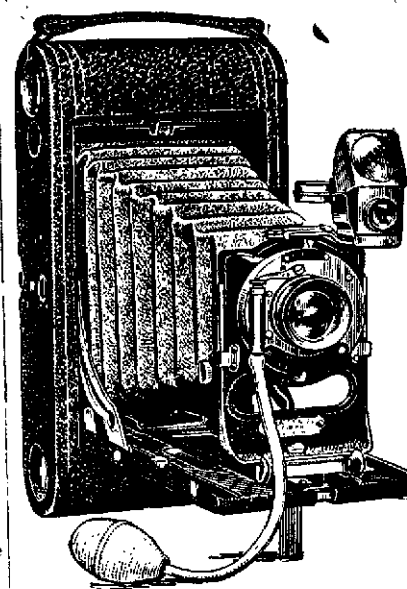
Toothsome Things.

THE ENGLISH is at this kitchen when hunger you feel. Short orders, and squares of delicious things of the season cooked in the right way. ICE CREAM and short a la mode all times of the day. A lunch that this is the best place to eat. SERVE with attention and everything fresh. A pleasant resort for ladies and men.

THE ENGLISH is good, and they come back again. We have a reputation of the popular brands.

The goods that will please a first-class demand. Served to please you, or child that's hot. Refreshments that hit the spot. EXAMINE our restaurant, strictly first-class. Newly papered and painted—right up to date.

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Use the G for unnatural
discharges, inflammation,
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It is the time of the year when you need moth balls, insect powder, bed bug poison and fishing tackle. We have a full line of all these spring time wants and a visit here will convince you that this drug store is the right place to do your buying. When you want pure drugs go to Holley's—we never substitute.

Don't forget our soda fountain. Cooling, refreshing, appetizing drinks in all delicious flavors, and gotten up in just the style you like.

The Crescent Drug Store
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